THE WEATHER
Unsettled Tuesday, probably local showers, Wednesday fair, warmer.

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# CARRANZA GIVES OUT A STATEMENT

## Criticises Action of A. B. C. Mediators.

## TO AMERICAN PRESS

### Announcement from Rebel Chieftain is Given to American Press in General—Villa at Chihuahua en Route South.

El Paso, Texas, June 1.—A semi-official statement from Gen. Carranza's headquarters at Durango criticising the actions of the A. B. C. mediators at Niagara Falls, and an announcement from Gen. Villa reiterating his allegiance as a military leader to Carranza, were the developments today of the Mexican situation here. Villa arrived at Chihuahua City from Torreon on his way from Juarez. Carranza was reported as having begun preparations to move by way of Torreon to Saltillo, where he will perfect his provisional government.

The statement from Durango, where Carranza's provisional government was established several days ago, was addressed to the press of the United States with a note to the effect that it had official sanction, although it was not a formal declaration. The telegram in part follows:

"The dominant sentiment of the Constitutionalists regarding the proceedings of the mediation commission at Niagara Falls is one of astonishment that there should be such an apparent lack of understanding on the part of that body, not only with regard to conditions in Mexico, but as to the attitude of the Constitutionalists regarding the mediators. This lack of understanding is not confined to the commissioners themselves, but seems to be shared by a large portion of the American press as well as by the government.

**Rebels Are Conquerors.**

"Judging from what has been published from day to day, the mediators appear to consider Gen. Carranza and his followers as a negligible quantity, scarcely worthy of attention, and who, per ance, must agree to whatever conclusion the commission may reach. They do not seem to be aware of the fact that the Constitutionalists are conquerors, that they have inaugurated and carried almost to successful completion a revolution and that this means the establishment of a government entitled to recognition by the rest of the world. Recent successes of the Constitutionalist army and others that are imminent, are conclusive proof that the power of Huerta is practically ended. His troops will not fight. They either run away or join their opponents with every sign of willingness.

"All that prevents the Constitutionalists from entering Mexico City today is the physical obstacle of the destruction of the railroads. With communication restored which is being accomplished with rapidity the army would be in Mexico City in less than a week.

"Yet the Constitutionalist leaders point to the deliberations of the commission and the statements of the press as absolutely ignoring this situation. The peace commission even goes so far as to propose that the Constitutionalists must recognize whatever provisional government they decide to set up and to declare that they must be forced to recognize that government or be crushed.

"The Constitutionalist leaders are wondering how they are to be forced to do this in view of their present accomplishments, and by whom they are to be crushed if they decline to obey the commission. Calmly, too, the commission proposes that Huerta shall be permitted to be a candidate for the presidency in order merely to save his face. Do they think the Constitutionalists will consent to that any more than they will consent to recognize a provisional government constituted as the commission proposes, of one person selected by Huerta, one by themselves, and one, perhaps, but not at all likely, by the Constitutionalists.

**Will Recognize No One.**

"No one, the Constitutionalist leaders point out, who has had any acquaintance with the objects and purpose of their movements, would fancy that they would ever consent to have anything to do with any one heretofore connected with Huerta. The Constitutionalists make it plain beyond question they will recognize a government established only under the plan of Guadaloupe at the triumph of the revolution. According to this plan the commander-in-chief of the Constitutionalist army will be the provisional president of the Mexican republic while the elections are being verified and constitutional order is restored. They point out the fact that the conquerors are not usually wont to permit the conquered to dictate the terms of peace, which is practically what is to be asked of them by the commission.

"Constitutionalists are especially caustic in their comment on the proposal of the commission to take up the agrarian question and propose some form of settlement. They declare that this is a purely internal problem and that they will tolerate no outside interference.

"Indeed, this is their attitude with regard to the entire proceedings of the mediation commission. They declare that if let alone they will settle the entire Mexican problem in a few months.

"Should any or all of the foreign nations party to the conference at Niagara Falls decide, as a result of that conference, called to promote peace, to use force to secure acceptance of their plan, the Constitutionalists feel that it would present a situation so contradictory as to be ludicrous.

"The announcement that a basis had been secured for the solution of the agrarian question was received with laughter. The Constitutionalists do not recognize the right of mediators to rule concerning this subject, especially as the stand of the Huerta party on the matter was largely responsible for the unrest in Mexico.

"The Constitutionalists assert the foreign mediators have not been able to settle this question in their own countries, and yet they apparently take it upon themselves to settle so grave a matter for a country of whose local conditions they must be ignorant. The leaders explain the agrarian problem is one for local settlement and that the only parties to the Niagara plan who understand local conditions are men hold radically opposite views to those of the great majority in Mexico. The inference that Huerta might become a candidate for President at a future election is regarded as impossible. He is regarded as a criminal by the Constitutionalists and that he should be a candidate for anything except the guillotine or the electric chair is not considered seriously by them."

# TO VOTE ON REPEAL BILL BY SATURDAY

## Constantly Before Senate After Wednesday.

## CLAIM NINE MAJORITY

### Those Advocating Repeal Announce Through Senator Simmons That Measure Will Receive Fifty-Two Votes on Ballot.

Washington, June 1.—Developments in the Senate today encouraged leaders in belief that a vote would be taken by Saturday night on the Canal tolls exemption repeal. Although an effort to secure unanimous consent for a vote at 4 o'clock Friday failed, Senator O' Gorman, opposing the repeal, announced that, beginning Wednesday, the bill would be kept constantly before the Senate until it was disposed of.

With the adoption of this p lan, the bill will come up automatically at 1 o'clock each day and not be displaced b yappropriation bills or other measures. During the day a conference between Senators Kern, Simmons and Lodge at which the forces for and against repeal were reckoned, led to an announcement by Senator Simmons that he expected the bill to receive fifty-two votes. Senator Simmons declared he did not include any senators counted as doubtful and if his prediction is fulfilled the repeal bill will have a majority of nine.

Senators Colt and Myers spoke in favor of repeal today Senator Catron opposed it. Senator Pittman introduced an amendment which would empower the President to reduce the tolls rate on American coast wise ships or excempt them when necessary to prevent discrimination.

**Simmons Makes Announcement.**

In making the announcement that he believed the bill would receive 52 votes, Senator Simmons said:

"We did not include several Senators who I believe will vote for the bill."

So far no attempt has been made to sound out sentiment on the various amendments proposed or to discover if any arbitration resolution could command the needed votes. Several Senators, it was said, favor arbitration, but will not vote for it until the repeal bill has been passed.

Senator Pittman in introducing his resolution empowering the President to reduce or remove tolls on American coastwise ships explained that he believed the Hay-Pauncefote treaty did not secure the same rate of tolls for all ships, but merely prohibited discriminations.

Senator Catron, of New Mexico, opposing the repeal bill, declared exemption was sound as a subsidy measure. He asserted Great Britain had no right to ask for arbitration of the tolls question u ntil it was seen whether there would be any discrimination against British ships in actual practice.

## COLUMBUS COURT HOUSE MATTER AGAIN POSTPONED.

### Until Location and Financing Are Voted Upon by People.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Whiteville, N. C., June 1.—After resolving itself into an executive session for the short space of 15 minutes, the Columbus county board of commissioners had the following motion, made by Mr. J. P. Council and seconded by Mr. R. E. L. Brown, ordered placed upon the minutes:

"Resolved, That, in view of public sentiment relative to building a new court house, that further action be deferred until after the question of locating and financing be submitted to the qualified voters and passed upon by ballot."

Commissioner Cox was absent from the meeting and the vote was: yeas, Messrs. Brown and Council, and nays, Messrs. Powell and Pridgen.

Mr. J. F. Leitner, the architect, who was employed to draw the plans for the proposed building, was present and made a proposition to remodel the plans in line with the amount of the bond issue, which was $50,000, but this was not entertained after it was found that any motion made on the court house question would meet a tie vote in line with the vote on the foregoing resolution.

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## KEYSTONE OF THE A. B. C. PEACE ARCH THINKS MEXICAN TANGLE WILL BE SOLVED

JUSTICE JOSEPH R. LAMAR
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Niagara Falls, Ont., June 1.—Justice Joseph R. Lamar, of the United States Supreme Court, is the dominant figure in the A. B. C. peace conference. Justice Lamar has from the first taken the leading part in attempting to straighten out the tangled affairs of the shot riddled republic. If peace prevails it will be due mostly to his able methods of dealing with the delicate situation. He has been quoted as saying he had every reason to believe the negotiations would prove successful.

# COMMENCEMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY IS BEGUN

## Graduating Exercises and Oratorical Contest.

### Chief Justice Clark Speaks at Inter-Society Banquet—Alumni Day—Distinguished Visitors Tomorrow.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., June 1.—The formal commencement exercises commemorating the 119th anniversary of the University of North Carolina were begun this morning at 10:50 o'clock when the members of the 1914 class marched into Gerrard hall to conduct their closing c lass exercises. The venerable Dr. Battle, ex-president of the University, was present with the seniors and conducted a private prayer with them. At these exercises J. L. Chambers, Jr., read the history of the c lass, F. L. Webster presented the University with the class gift, and Oscar Leach, senior president, gave a farewell talk to his class.

After these exercises the hall was turned over to Acting President Graham, who conducted the Willie P. Mangum oratorical contest, an annual contest among members of the senior class for p roficiency in oratory. The contestants were L. R. Johnson, C. S. Peel, F. R. Owen and J. A. Holmes.

**Final Class Exercises.**

This afternoon at 5 o'clock, the senior class gathered under Davie Poplar to conclude its graduating exercises. The class statistics, the last will and testament, and the class poem were read by L. H. Ramson, J. T. Hatcher and E. J. Perry, respectively. After the pipe of peace was passed around, the campus was formally turned over to the junior class.

**Judge Clark Speaks.**

Tonight at 8 o'clock, the annual inter-society banquet was pulled off. The principal speaker at this banquet was Chief Justice Walter Clark, of Raleigh.

Tomorrow is Alumni day. The principal addreess before the alumni will be made by Judge Augustus Van Wyke, of New York, a distinguished alumnus.

**Distinguished Visitors Tomorrow**

Governor Craig, Secretary of the Navy Daniels, and Senator Simmons will arrive Wednesday with Secretary of Commerce Redfield for the final day of commencement. Secretary Redfield will deliver the address on that day

Yesterday the baccalaureate sermon was preached by Rev. Edgar H. Hill, of Chicago. At night the sermon to the Y. M. C. A. was preached by Rev. Richard Hogue, of Baltimore, Md., formerly of Wilmington and Chapel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lord, of Wilmington, are attending commencement to witness the graduation of their son, William Lord, of Wilmington.

**Baccalaureate Sermon.**

To live effectively in the present, said Rev. Dr. Edgar P. Hill, of the McCormick Theological Seminary of Chicago, in his baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the University Sunday morning, one must visualize the eternity of the future. Social service appeals to intelligent, educated young men and women now more than at any time in the world's history, but such attempted service to be of a lasting quality must be based on a comprehension of the eternal.

The call of the present, service for today, not in opposition to the stand taken by Dr. Hill, but in contrast, there was the appeal made by Rev. Richard Hogue, now of Baltimore, formerly rector of the Episcopal church here, in the annual sermon before the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Hogue, whose life on the Hill consisted so largely the putting into practice this idea advanced Sunday, insisted that the call of society is so urgent, so vitally related that the life of the effective Christian is one of daily and hourly amelioration of conditions which oppress his fellows.

Dr. Hill based his discussion of his theme on Peter's response to Christ's query, "Will ye also go away?" when after the miracle of feeding the multitude the crowd departed when fed. He asked his disciples if they, too, were wanting Him to minister only to the body. Peter said, "To whom shall we go? Thou hast the words of eternal life."

# HOPELESS DEADLOCK IN TENTH CONTINUES

## After 450 Ballots Have Been Taken at Waynesville.

### Convention Appeared Early This Morning No Nearer Nomination Than When it Began Friday—No Break Yet.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., June 2.—After 450 ballots had been taken, at an early hour this morning the convention of the Democrats of the Tenth Congressional district at Waynesville, appeared to be hopelessly deadlocked and a throng of weary delegates seemed to be willing to stick to their favorite candidates for an indefinite length of time.

Judge J. H. Merrimon's delegates forsook him at an early hour Sunday morning, but today they again cast their ballots for him and the convention appears to be no nearer a nomination than it was Friday when the first ballot was taken.

Candidate J. O. Harrison lost the greater part of his strength today, the bulk of his vote going to Congressman James M. Gudger, Jr. However, Solicitor Robert R. Reynolds secured a sufficient vote from the Harrison delegates to enable him to keep his leading opponent from being nominated and his delegates were not surprised when the biggest part of the Harrison vote went to Gudger.

**Adjourned Again.**

Waynesville, N. C., June 2.—Adjournment was taken until morning at 10:30 o'clock, following the casting of ballot No. 454. Gudger forces opposed adjourning, but all opposing factions voted solidly for a recess.

# CROP CONDITIONS LOWEST IN YEARS

## Department of Agriculture Issues Announcement.

## STATISTICS OF COTTON

### Crop in North Carolina About Two Weeks Late, Due to Dry and Cool Weather—Conditions Everywhere the Same

Washington, June 1.—The cotton crop condition of the country is the lowest since 1871, with the exception of 1903 and 1907, the Department of Agriculture announced today. It issued statistics showing the condition on May 25th as 74.3 per cent. of a normal or seven per cent. below the ten year average.

The low condition of the crop it was said, was due largely to the excessive rains and exceptionally cool nights in Central and Northeastern Texas, Eastern and Southern Oklahoma and Southwestern Arkansas which brought the condition percentage in those States down to 65, 68 and 79 respectively. In Texas many farmers were obliged to re-plant several times.

No estimate of the acreage planted in cotton will be made by the department until July 1st. Unofficial estimates of the acreage have placed it from 3.5 per cent. decrease to 1 per cent. increase.

In a detailed review of the conditions in the cotton States, the department makes favorable report on the progress of the crop in the heavy producing sections of Mississippi and parts of Louisiana, Oklahoma, Georgia, Arkansas and Alabama. In Texas says the statement, cotton is making one of the poorest starts witnessed in many years.

The Mississippi crop is probably ten or twelve days late. There is some complaint of weevils. But "taking the State as a whole," the department says, conditions are excellent."

n parts of the Oklahoma the department says, the crop will average as much as three weeks late, while too much rain in lower sections had prevented cultivation. In semi-arid regions, however, the crop is declared to be in excellent condition. While the crop is declared to be ten days to two weeks late in Alabama general conditions of cultivation are regarded as exceellent. Cool weather has retarded growth somewhat and weevils are active in the Southwestern portion of the State.

**Promising in Texas.**

By far the most promising conditions to be found in Texas, says the report, ore in the Northwest where "rains have given the best asset of moisture in six or eight years." In the greater part of the State, however, excessive rain fall has retarded planting and cool weather has caused poor germination. Much re-planting has been necessary. The report added:

"The rains seem to have ceased in most portions of the State and great activity is now being witnessed in all the affected cotton area. Labor seems ample and if sunshine will prevail for a week or ten days, the crop can be well cleaned."

The early planted cotton in Georgia, "consisting of probably 80 per cent. of the total acreage," is reported in good condition. "A small portion of the crop is not up, and will not come up until it rains," adds the report. The Georgia crop is estimated to be about a week late.

In North Carolina the crop is about two weeks late, due to dry cool weather. The early planted cotton, however, is reported as in almost perfect condition."

Dry weather is held responsible for the backwardness of the crop in South Carolina where "probably 20 per cent." is reported as not up to stand. Dry winds have necessitated much re-planting, and rain is needed to germinate the late planted seeds. "The cotton standing is in almost perfect condition," says the report.

Louisiana conditions are declared to be "too wet or too dry, but generally the crop is satisfactory." Some late planted seed is not up and the crop averages about two weeks late, increasing danger from the boll weevil.

"Southwestern Arkansas," says the report, "has entirely too much rain. the fields in that section are foul with grass and weeds and a portion of the crop still is unplanted. In the heavy producing sections of the State conditions are favorable.

"In Tennessee only about three-fourths of the crop is up and the plant is perhaps only half as large as it should be at this time. It lacks vigor, the color being rather poor.

"Some sections of Florida have suffered poor stands on account of dry weather, but plants are well cultivated."

Condition by States:

Virginia .83; North Carolina .72; Georgia 80; Florida 82; Alabama 85; Mississippi 87; Louisiana 82; Texas 65; Arkansas 79; Tennessee 80; Missouri 86; Oklahoma 68; California 100.

## RAIN AT ATLANTA YESTERDAY.

### Weather Man, However, Says That Georgia Needs More.

Atlanta, Ga., June 1.—Rain fell here today, ending a drouth period of 24 days, which equals the record time without precipitation in this section of Georgia. The downfall lasted less than an hour, however, and weather bureau officials said tonight that much more moisture was needed to benefit growing crops.

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# MATTER NOW LEFT UP TO MEDIATORS

## As to Acceptance or Rejection of Carranza's Agents.

## EXPECT A DECISION

### Officials in Washington Look for Decision from Mediators Hourly—Wires Kept Hot Between Capitol and Conference.

Washington, June 1.—American delegates to the Mexican mediation conference at Niagara Falls were in frequent communication today with the Washington government in relation, it was said, to the hitch in the negotiations which has arisen since the note was sent last week to the mediators, outlining the position of the Constitutionalists. It further was reported that the matter of recognizing or rejecting representatives of the Constitutionalists as participants in the Peace conference now was squarely up to the mediators themselves.

It was stated here that Gen. Huerta's representatives had regarded the development with a degree of favor as indicating hope for future peace. Their determination to leave the matter to the mediators, it was asserted, was reached by the Mexican delegates on the day that Mr. Urquidi representing Rafael Zuburan, arrived from Washington with the Carranza note.

That Justice Lamar and Mr. Lehmann have been urging recognition of Carranza seemed more apparent than ever in Washington tonight. Late last nigst a long communication was addressed to the American commissioners from the State Department, after a conference between President Wilson and Secretary Bryan. After they had received it other communications passed between them, and the Washington government. President Wilson personally sent messages to his representatives, the nature of which was held in the strictest confidence. He still follows closely his policy of silence regarding the mediation proceedings.

"Is mediation progressing satisfactorily?" Secretary Bryan was asked.

"It can be said that the conference is progressing satisfactorily," he said, with a smile.

Whether mediation will come to naught in case the South American envoys should determine to reject all proposals for enlarging the scope of the conference, as to include representatives of the Mexican revolutionists, was the uppermost subject of discussion here today. Many held that the original proposal for a protocol to be signed by the United States and Huerta's representatives would be adhered to, and that the United States would then await developments in Mexico.

**Are to Rush Campaign.**

Others inclined to the view that the Constitutionalists would proceed with increased vigor to the physical overthrow of the Huerta regime, capture tse government at Mexico City, and then protest that there was nothing to mediate.

Some definite announcement from the mediators regarding the problem is expected here hourly. Representatives of the Constitutionalists conferred again during the day.

They insisted that no news had been received to alter their position.

That the American government is refusing to issue celarance papers to ships laden with ammunition for any Mexican port was disclosed today.

Some vessels it is reported, though, have shipped with arms from New York to ports in various Central American countries, the shipments later being re-cleared for Mexican ports.

Administration officials uniformly have declined to make any definite statement as to the policy regarding the admission of arms into Mexico.

Regarding Gen. Funston's action in levying fines upon the German liners Ypiranga and Bavaria, Secretary of War Garrison said that there might be an appeal by the German government to the Secretary of State.

Other cargoes of war material are commonly understood to be destined for Mexico, for Huerta, some from Japan and some from England. It is understood that extensive trans-shipment is beginning to be made in the West Indian isuands, for the benefit of the Constitutionalists.

With relation to the fines against the German steamers a dispatch from General Funston today announced that he simply fiathfully executed his order to enforce the Mexican law in imposing fines.

The German contention in the matter is that the arms and ammunition on the two liners were originally ordered from Germany and France by the Madero government, and that the German government recognized General Huerta as the lawful successor to Madero, and, consequently, that Huerta was the proper consignee.

Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, was among Secretary Bryan's callers today. He asked the Secretary to use his influence in behalf of German interests in the State of Guadalajara.

## DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT NEWBERN YESTERDAY.

### Government's Storage Warehouse is Destroyed.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., June 1.—Damage to the amount of five or six thousand dollars was caused here today by the destruction of the government's storage warehouse on Union Point; also several thousand dollars worth of lumber owned by Clyde Eby.

A series of accidents and low water pressure hindered the fire fighters, and they were unable to cope with the situation, and only by hard work was the nearby plant of the Meadows Veneer Company saved.

# PARAGRAPH ADDED TO CLAYTON BILL

## To Specifically Legalize Trade and Farmers' Unions.

## IS ADOPTED BY HOUSE

### While Designed Only to Clarify Existing Law, Labor Leaders See Victory in Adoption of the Measure.

Washington, June 1.—Trade unions and farmers' unions would be specifically legalized in their existence and declared not to be combinations in restraint of trade by a paragraph which the House today incorporated in the Clayton bill to supplement the anti-trust laws.

Although it is designed only to clarify existing law, organized labor leaders say the final passage of this amendment will mark the culmination of a fight waged by them for 14 years—since the passage of the Sherman anti-trust law, for exemption from prosecution under the laws against monopolies and restrain of trade. On a vote to perfect the labor provision the House was recorded 207 for and none against.

As adopted the provision declares that "nothing in the anti-trust law shall be construed to forbid the existence or operation" of labor unions or farmers' co-operative associations, or to forbid or restrain members of such organizations from "carrying out the legitimate objects thereof. Supplemental to this provision, the House adopted an amendment proposed by Representative Webb, in charge of the bill, and agreed on by organized labor reports and the administration which would provide that such organizations and their members shall not be "held or construed to be illegal combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade under the anti-trust law."

Although the provision was passed without a dissenting vote, there was considerable debate as to just what the effect of the legislation would be. Democratic leaders declared that the provision would give labor that exemption it desired and asserted officials of organized labor had endorsed the phraseology. Progressive Leader Murdock and others asserted that it would be years before the courts would define finally just how far the exemption went and what it meant.

**Amendments Defeated.**

Amendments proposed by Representative Thomas, of Kentucky, and McDonald, of Michigan, to make the proposed exemption more definite, were voted down, Democratic leaders declaring that a more specific exemption would run counter to the constitutional inhibition against class legislation.

A cause to legalize such conferences and agreements among railroads as are now subject to control of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, also was passed. The section confirms and protects the jurisdiction of the commission over such agreements and confirms existing laws against joint agreements to maintain rates.

Representative Ferris, of Oklahoma, unsuccessfully sought to insert a provision making oil and gas pipe lines and hydro-electric power transmission lines engaged in inter-State commerce common carriers under the jurisdiction of the Inter-State Commerce Commission.

Determined to hasten consideration of the measure, Democratic leaders pressed the detailed debate and kept the House in session tonight without even allowing a recess for dinner.

The holding company's section was taken up and a substitute proposed by Representative Volstead, of Minnesota, was defeated.

Senator Newlands, chairman of the Inter-State Commerce committee, which has charge of the drafting of anti-trust legislation, announced to the Senate today that he expected to make this legislation the unfinished business before that body after it votes on the Panama tolls exemption repeal bill. The committee has not finished its work on the omnibus anti-trust measure framed by its sub-committee. It will decide within a few days whether it will report this omnibus or lay before the Senate a measure merely creating a trade commission.

## AUTHORIZE SALE OF TWO BIG BATTLESHIPS.

### Mississippi and Idaho to Go to Greece. Built Another Dreadnought.

Washington, June 1.—The Senate late today amended the naval appropriation bill so as to authorize the sale of the battleships Idaho and Mississippi and the construction of a modern dreadnought with the money. Greece is understood to be the prospective purchaser.

Earlier in the day the Senate concurred in the House provision that one of the two new battleships provided for in the bill be built in a government navy yard, but refused to appropriate $200,000 to fit up another yard for construction purposes, thus assuring the construction of the ship at a Brooklyn navy yard.

The amendment providing for government construction was carried 40 to 15, and the House provision for fitting up a second navy yard was defeated 44 to 21.

Chicago, June 1.—The remnants of "General" Charles T. Kelly's army of the unemployed which is said to number 164 men, arrived here today from Milwaukee.

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ATHLETICS AND YANKS SPLIT. BOSTON DOES SENATORS

# :: SPORTS ::

GIANTS, 11; PHILLIES, 7. PIRATES, 3; CUBS, 7. REDS IN SECOND PLACE

## ∴ STANDING OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS ∴

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 22 | 14 | .611 |
| Washington | 23 | 16 | .590 |
| Detroit | 24 | 17 | .585 |
| Boston | 18 | 19 | .486 |
| St. Louis | 18 | 20 | .474 |
| New York | 17 | 20 | .459 |
| Chicago | 18 | 23 | .439 |
| Cleveland | 14 | 25 | .359 |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 22 | 11 | .667 |
| Cincinnati | 26 | 15 | .634 |
| Pittsburgh | 21 | 15 | .583 |
| Brooklyn | 16 | 18 | .471 |
| Chicago | 19 | 22 | .463 |
| St. Louis | 19 | 24 | .442 |
| Philadelphia | 15 | 19 | .441 |
| Boston | 10 | 24 | .294 |

**FEDERAL LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 22 | 12 | .647 |
| Chicago | 19 | 17 | .528 |
| Buffalo | 16 | 16 | .500 |
| Brooklyn | 15 | 16 | .484 |
| Indianapolis | 16 | 18 | .471 |
| St. Louis | 18 | 21 | .462 |
| Kansas City | 18 | 21 | .462 |
| Pittsburgh | 16 | 19 | .457 |

### RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Detroit 2; Chicago 1; (13 innings)
At New York 8; Phila. 9; (12 in.)
2nd: New York 4; Philadelphia 2.
At Boston 1; Washington 0.
At Cleveland 5; St. Louis 0.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At St. Louis 4; Detroit 1.
At Cleveland 1; Chicago 6.

At Brooklyn 6; Boston 2.
2nd: Brooklyn 4; Boston 2.
At Philadelphia 7; New York 11.
At St. Louis 4; Cincinnati 6.
At Chicago 7; Pittsburg 3.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At Cincinnati 2; Pittsburg 1.
At Chicago 11; St. Louis 1.
At Cincinnati 5; Pittsburg 5.

At St. Louis 4; Indianapolis 5.
At Pittsburg 1; Buffalo 2.
At Brooklyn 4; Baltimore 1.
At Kansas City 2; Chicago 10.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At Chicago 1; Indianapolis 0.
At Kansas City 5; St. Louis 3.

### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Chicago at Detroit
Philadelphia at New York.
Washington at Boston.
St. Louis at Cleveland.

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.
Pittsburg at Chicago.

Indianapolis at St. Louis.
Buffalo at Pittsburg.
Baltimore at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Kansas City.

## AMERICAN

**A. RANKIN JOHNSON DOWNED VETERAN WALTER.**

**Wild Throw by "World's Greatest" Aided in Senators' Defeat.**

Boston, June 1.—Walter Johnson and A. Rankin Johnson, the Red Sox recruit twirler opposed each other today for the third time this season and the youngster bested his redoubtable namesake for the second time. The score was 1 to 0. The only run of the game was scored in the fifth inning on Cady's single, A. Johnson's sacrifice, a wild throw to second by Walter Johnson, and Hooper's hit.
Washington ....000 000 000—0 5 1
Boston .....000 010 00x—1 5 1
W. Johnson and Williams; A. Johnson and Cady.

**CRAWFORD'S HOMER TIED IT IN ELEVENTH INNING.**

**And Detroit Won a Spectacular Contest from White Sox.**

Detroit, June 1.—Tying the score in the 11th, when Sam Crawford drove out a home run after Chicago had scored Detroit won a thrilling 13-inning game from the White Sox today 2 to 1. Moriarty opened the Detroit half of the 13th with a two base hit. He advanced on Stanage's bunt and came home on Bush's single.
Chicago ...000 000 000 0100—1 10 1
Detroit ....000 000 000 0101—2 11 1
Faber and Alcock; Dauss and Stanage.

**YANKEES AND ATHLETICS SPLIT DOUBLE HEADER.**

**Meara, Recruit, Did Well for Chance's Yankees.**

New York, June 1.—New York and Philadelphia broke even in a double here today, the Athletics winning the first in 12 innings, 9 to 8, and New York the second, 4 to 2. Meara, a recruit from Perth Amboy, of Atlantic League, played with the Yankees, and made a fair impression.
Philadelphia 221 100 010 002—9 13 1
New York ..000 203 200 001—8 13 1
Bender, Dressler, Plank and Schang; Schulz, Cole, Warhop and Gossett and Rogers.
Second Game:
Philadelphia ....000 010 010—2 4 0
New York .....000 004 00x—4 8 3
Brown and Lapp; McHale and Nunemaker.

**ST. LOUIS BROWNS DEFEATED NAPS.**

**Joe Jackson's Home Run Clout Marred by His Three Errors.**

Cleveland, June 1.—The St. Louis Browns defeated the Naps today 10 to 5 in a poorly played game. Joe Jackson hit a home run over the right field screen, but marred his afternoon's work by making three errors.
Cleveland .....120 200 000— 5 10 5
St. Louis .....100 310 032—10 9 2
L. James, Hagerman, Mitchell and Carisch and O'Neil; W. James, Hamilton and Crossin and Agnew.

## Tennis Match Opens At Richmond, Va.

**NEARLY 100 ENTRIES IN OLD DOMINION TOURNAMENT YESTERDAY.**

Richmond, Va., June 1.—The Old Dominion tennis tournament opened today on the courts of the country club of Virgina with a field of nearly 100 entries. Weather conditions were ideal and the matches fast. The favorites came through the preliminary rounds without upset of form. Wylie Grant and C. N. Beard, who rank high, came through with easy victories. A. M. Kennedy, Frank C. Lewis, F. W. Capers, W. H. Harrity and Eugene Heine, of the visitors, successfully won to the second round. The feature of the opening day was the match between James Tyler, of Richmond, and O. C. Shaner, of Lynchburg, which Tyler won 6-1; 22-20.

In the women's singles Miss Marie Wagner disposed of two opponents, playing a spirited match with Miss M. Colston. Mrs. C. N. Beard and Miss Cassel both worked up to the third round.

Beals Wright, T. R. Pell and Irving Wright play their first matches in singles tomorrow.

## NATIONAL

**TWENTY-FIVE BASES OFF MATTY BUT GIANTS WON THE GAME.**

**Errors of Dooin's Daisies Figured in Their Downfall.**

Philadelphia, June 1.—Philadelphia hit Mathewson for a total of twenty-five bases today but lost to New York 11 to 7. Two errors by Reed and a base on balls in the third inning were followed by three singles a sacrifice hit and two stolen bases which needed the visitors five runs, gave them the lead, fro mw hich they were never ousted.
New York. . . .015 101 003—11 13 1
Philada... . . .212 000 002—7 16 5
Mathewson and Meyers, McLean; Mayer, Jacobs and E. Burns.

**CHICAGO CUBS WIN; PIRATES SEVENTH STRAIGHT DEFEAT**

**And The "Bronx Beauty" Is Fishing For Some More Bonus Money.**

Chicoga, June 1.—Chicago defeated Pittsburg 7 to 3 today. It was Pittsburgh's seventh straight defeat. Visiting pitchers were not hit so hard, but all were wild. Zimmerman argued with Umpire Emslie about a decision and was put out of the game.
Pittsburgh. . . .000 000 003—3 9 3
Chicago. . . . .030 100 03x—7 8 1
O' Toole, Conselman, Kantlehner and Gibson; Cheney and Archer.

**TWO INNINGS SUFFICIENT TO WIN FOR CINCINNATI**

**Defeated St. Louis By Bunching Hits In Second and Fifth.**

St. Louis, June 1.—Cincinnati defeated St. Louis 6 to 4 today by bunching hits in the second and fifth innings and scoring six runs. St. Louis could not overcome the lead. Each team used three pitchers.
Cincinnati.. . . .040 020 000—6 10 2
St. Louis. . . . .003 000 010—4 12 0
Yingling, Douglass, Lear and Clarke; Robinson, Griner, Steel, Hagerman and Wingo.

**BROOKLYN DOGERS WIN TWO GAMES.**

**Tobk Both Ends of Double Header From Lowly Boston.**

Brooklyn, June 1.—Brooklyn won both games of today's double header with Boston 6 to 2 and 4 to 2. Allen won his own game in the sixth when he tripled with the bases full in the second game.

Riggert's hit over the right field wall in the first game was the longest ever made on Ebbet's field. Elberfeld was hit by Hess and forced to retire in the second game.
Boston. . . . .200 000 000—2 7 0
Brooklyn. . . . .012 201 00x—6 16 1
Tyler, Crutcher and Whaling, Gowdy; Aitchison and McCarty.
Second game—
Boston. . . . .110 000 000—2 3 0
Brooklyn. . . . .001 003 00x—4 8 1
Hess, Cocrehan and Gowdy; Allen and Miller.

## A DAILY HOME RUN

**SAM CRAWFORD.**

Samuel Crawford visited with President Comiskey before a recent White Sox-Tiger game in Chicago. The two were seated in the private office of the South Side magnate, chinning. The subject was the trip around the world, of course. It will be remembered that Sam was a member of the White Sox band for those few months.

"Well, you seem to be hitting them pretty good this year," said Commy.

"Yep," admitted Crawford, "You know I think that trip around the world did me a lot of good. Know where I think I was benefited most?"

"Nope," from the Old Roman.

"While I was the sickest. I don't believe that any fellow was ever as sea sick as I was. It's my private opinion that no man ever spent as much time bending over the ship's rail. But say, it certainly did clear my eye."

"Well, don't prove it this afternoon." from Comiskey.

"I'm going to do my best to prove it." from Samuel.

He did. He swatted four drives and scored three runs. One of his hits was a terrific three-bagger that was just over the heads of the infielders. There was so much force behind it that it was just over the heads of the outfielders, too. It didn't drop an inch in its flight until it bumped the right field fence. It certainly was a swat.

"It's a certainty there is nothing the matter with Sam's eye," commented Comiskey.

## FEDERAL

**BROKE TIE IN EIGHTH; INDIANAPOLIS WON.**

**Score Five to Four in Close Game Played at St. Louis.**

St. Louis, June 1.—St. Louis lost to Indianapolis in the eighth inning today when Scheer scored and broke a tie after Misse failed to recover a liner in time to put out Rariden at first.
Indianapolis ....102 010 010—5 14 4
St. Louis .....020 001 010—4 12 2
Falkenberg and Rariden; Willett, Brown and Simon.

**TERRAPINS LOSE FIRST GAME IN BROOKLYN.**

**Dodger Federals Easily Defeated Baltimoreans Four to One.**

Brooklyn, June 1.—The Baltimore League leaders today made the first appearance in Brooklyn and were defeated 4 to 1. Brooklyn won in the third, when singles by Land and Shaw and a pass to Evans filled the bases, Murphy's single brought in two runs and Zinn's error allowed Evans to score.
Brooklyn .....003 000 01x—4 6 2
Baltimore .....010 000 000—1 7 2
Zaton and Land; Conley and Jacklitsch.

**CHICAGO OUTLAWS HAD A WALK-OVER.**

**Easily Defeated Kansas City by Ten to Two Count.**

Kansas City, June 1.—Chicago Federals won easily from Kansas City today 10 to 2.
Chicago .....103 040 101—10 13 1
Kansas City ....000 000110— 2 5 5
McGuire and Wilson and Block; Harris, Adams and Easterly.

**PITTSBURG'S LONE SCORE HOMER BY "REBEL" OAKES.**

**Buffalo Defeated Pittsburgers Two to One in Fine Game.**

Pittsburg, June 1.—Buffalo defeated Pittsburg 2 to 1 today in a fine game. Both Ford and Walker pitched effectively. Pittsburg's lone score was a home run by Manager Oaks.
Buffalo .....100 000 010—2 7 1
Pittsburg .....000 001 000—1 6 3
Ford and Blair; Walker and Berry.

**TWO HUMAN LIVES WERE BASEBALL'S TOLL YESTERDAY.**

**Two Batters, Struck by Pitched Balls, Fatally Injured.**

Rockville, Conn., June 1.—Frank Boucher, 22 years old, struck on the forehead by a pitched ball during a baseball game yesterday, died today.

Tompkinsville, Ky., June 1.—Bill Hammer, 21 years old, a school teacher, was struck yesterday on the head by a pitched ball, which ruptured a blood vessel of the brain. He died today.

**CUBS SELL KOESTNER.**

Chicago, June 1.—The Chicago National League Club today sold Pitcher Elmer Koestner to the Cincinnanti Nationals at the waiver price.

**HEADACHES SUCCUMB**

To A-K Tablets.
(advertisement.)

## IN BOYVILLE

*Whadda' ya' Mean---It's June?*

*By Stallings*

## How They Stand

**SOUTHERN LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chattanooga | 23 | 17 | .575 |
| New Orleans | 25 | 19 | .568 |
| Birmingham | 22 | 20 | .524 |
| Mobile | 23 | 21 | .523 |
| Atlanta | 21 | 20 | .512 |
| Nashville | 21 | 22 | .488 |
| Memphis | 18 | 26 | .408 |
| Montgomery | 19 | 28 | .404 |

**SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Savannah | 32 | 16 | .667 |
| Jacksonville | 29 | 19 | .604 |
| Charleston | 27 | 20 | .574 |
| Columbia | 25 | 24 | .510 |
| Columbus | 17 | 20 | .459 |
| Albany | 20 | 25 | .444 |
| Augusta | 20 | 29 | .408 |
| Macon | 19 | 30 | .388 |

**VIRGINIA LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Norfolk | 27 | 10 | .730 |
| Newport News | 23 | 15 | .603 |
| Richmond | 21 | 15 | .583 |
| Roanoke | 17 | 22 | .436 |
| Petersburg | 13 | 22 | .371 |
| Portsmouth | 11 | 28 | .282 |

**NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.**

| Club: | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Charlotte | 24 | 9 | .727 |
| Winston-Salem | 21 | 12 | .636 |
| Durham | 18 | 13 | .581 |
| Raleigh | 15 | 17 | .469 |
| Greensboro | 11 | 21 | .344 |
| Asheville | 8 | 25 | .242 |

## R. M. MILLER A CANDIDATE

**For Directorship in Richmond Federal Reserve Bank—A. L. Quickel Clerk to Webb's Committee.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., June 1.—The first appointment made by Representative Webb since he became chairman of the House Judiciary committee was announced today when he named A. L. Quickel, of Lincolnton, as clerk to the committee. Mr. Quickel is a lawyer and is well qualified to fill the place of clerk. The position pays $2,500 a year, and is a fine schooling for a young man who desires to follow the practice of law.

Word came to Washington today that R. M. Miller, Jr., of Charlotte, is a candidate for a directorship in the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank. Mr. Miller applied for a place in class "C". Senators Simmons and Overman have already recommended Sam L. Rogers, of Franklin, for a place on the Reserve board, if he does not care to take the place as Director of the Census. Therefore, the chances of Mr. Miller are not very good, unless his place would not conflict with the one desired by the Franklin man. The President is sure to give Mr. Rogers the place unless he prefers something else, and it is not believed that President Wilson will appoint two of the three men which he has to name from North Carolina.

**Cotton Reporters.**

Representative Godwin has recommended Mack McArthur as principal, and H. A. McIntosh, as alternate cotton reporters for Robeson county; and W.H.Parker and W. F. Hockaday, principal and alternate, respectively, for the Lillington district.

Mr. Godwin also recommended Fred M. Prior as rural carrier from St. Paul.

H. C. Cook has been recommended for postmaster at Cabarrus, and J. J. Coffry at Edgemont

Geo. F. Hankins, of Lexington; W. B. Garrison and W. W. Giles, of Glen Alpine; J. C. Buxton, of Winston-Salem; W. C. Brodsher, W. L. Umstead and J. C. Carrington, of Durham, were here today. P. R. A.

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## RESULTS YESTERDAY.

**North Carolina League.**
At Charlotte 3; Greensboro 5.
At Winston 3; Durham 2.
At Raleigh 4; Asheville 2.

**Virginia League.**
At Portsmouth 4; Roanoke 6.
At Newport News 5; Richmond 0.
At Petersourg 4; Norfolk 0.

**Southern League.**
At Nashville-New Orleans, rain.
At Chattanooga 0; Birmingham 1; (three innings, rain.)
At Memphis 1; Mobile 7.
At Monegomery 1; Atlanta 4.

**South Atlantic League.**
At Savannah 3; Macon 5.
At Jacksonville 7; Augusta 5.
At Columbus 2; Charleston 3.
At Albany 2; Columbia 0.

**International League.**
At Buffalo 0; Toronto 0.
At Rochester 9; Montreal 0.
At Jersey City 6; Baltimore 9.
At Providence-Newark, rain.

**American Association.**
At St. Paul 8; Minneapolis 11.
At Columbus 6; Indianapolis 5.
At Louisville 7; Cleveland 3.
No other game scheduled.

**CHALLENGE MATCHES AWARDED**

New York, June 1.—The challenge matches for the Davis International tennis challenge cup were today awarded to the West Side Tennis Club at Forest Hills, Long Island. The final round between the challenging nations will be played at Longwood, Boston.

**COBB IS IMPROVING.**

Detroit, June 1.—Ty Cobb, who sustained a fractured rib by being hit with a pitched ball in a recent game at Boston, will be able to join the Detroit Americans the latter part of this week or the first of next. Announcement to this effect was made today by the club's physician.

**TODAY—TODAY.**

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# BIG MASON AT ROCKY MOUNT

**Noted Y. M. C. A. Worker Preaches to Railroad Shop Men During Lunch Hour**

(Special Star Correspondence)

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 1.—Under the auspicies of the Y. M. C. A. there are being held this week short noon-day services in the A. C. L. shops. Saturday at noon several hundred men listened for twelve minutes of a half hour's dinner time to an able address and sermon by "Big Mason," the speaker who is conducting services each night at the Y. M. C. A. For a man who has never attended before these shop services for men, it is a most impressive sight, In their working togs and some of them enjoying their noon-day puff and others a chew, they gathered about the speaker seeking seats in pits, on the floor, about the dismantled engines of the shop and all listened with great interest to the message that the speaker brought to them.

That this noon-day preaching, which has been going on for almost a week and will continue for longer, will redown to great good is already apparent, and a message brought by a deep thinker, who has a great power of delivery and who gets down and touches men, could not but mean greater things. Mr. Mason, familiarly termed and better known as "Big Mason", for he towers above a six-footer as to make him look like a Brownie, is an able Y. M. C. A. worker, and while he is not of the preacher type and more as "one of the other fellows", his work for religious causes will have a long effect in Rocky Mount with her men.

**Chairman Ten Million League**

Rev. H. C. Boblitt, the popular former pastor of the Christian church in Rocky Mount, has been called as National Chairman of the Ten Million League. The Ten Million league is a human welfare organization for the purpose of massing the temperance sentiment of the United States, and throwing its influence and vote with the dominant political party which will put in its platform a plank calling for nation-wide prohibition by a constitutional amendment.

Mr. Boblitt's work will be to organize each state and oversee the organization of each county by precincts or wards. This is a tremendous task and will occupy the entire time of a large force from now until the national election in November 1916.

## BACCALAUREATE DAY AT ELON COLLEGE

**Dr. Tagg in Morning—President Harper at Night.**

(Special Star Correspondence)

Elon College, N. C., June 1.—Sunday was baccalaureate day at Elon. Dr. F. T. Tagg, editor of the Methodist Protestant, Baltimore, Md., preached the sermon at 11:30 A. M. Dr. Tagg is one of the most distinguished scholars and pulpiteers of the Methodist Protestant church. His place of leadership with his church is attested by his editorship of their national organ, a position he has filled for many years. His editorials are righteous and wield great weight in religious realms.

Dr. Tagg knows the student life and the student heart. He based his remarks on Acts 7:22—"And Moses was learned in all the wisdom of the Egyptians, and was mighty in words and in deeds." His theme was "Preparation for Life-Work." He showed by the illustrious example of Moses' life that intellectual preparation is not all sufficient for the best service, for after he had received his diploma from the university of that land of scholarship, culture, and learning, he had to add forty years of heart preparation before he was able to do the work divinely assigned him.

At the evening service, obedient to time-honored custom in Elon's annals, President Harper gave his baccalaureate address to the senior class. President Harper's theme treated of the ultimate values of education and was worded The Contributions of College Life.

The feature of the third day of Elon's Commencement was the annual evening devoted to the representatives of the three literary societies. Two speakers were chosen from each society. The young ladies' society, the Psiphelian, was represented by Misses Beatrice Mason, Nashville, N. C., and Pattie Preston, Belew Creek, N. C. The Philologian society for men was represented by Messrs. W. C. Purcell, Haw River, N. C., and R. K. Hancock, Straits, N. C., and the Clio Society, also for men, had as its orators Messers. J. L. Farmer, News Ferry, Va., and E. T. Cotten, Dendron, Va.,

## SUPREME COURT ADJOURNS.

**Final Batch of Six Opinions Delivered Yesterday.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—The North Carolina Supreme Court adjourned for the term this morning after delivering a final batch of opinions in six cases. The list follows:

Peanut Co., vs. Atlantic Coast Line, Martin county, reversed; Standard Trust Co. ,vs. Commercial Bank, Guilford, new trial; State vs. Lance, Henderson, no error; Gouge vs. Bennett, Mitchell, appeal dismissed; Johnson vs. Whilden, Graham, modified and affirmed, costs against appellant; Chastain vs. L. & N. Railroad Co., Cherokee, affirmed.

## GENUINE ECZEMA REMEDY.

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J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., sold hundreds of jars of Hokara, and although they offered to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied purchaser, not one jar has been returned.

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# FOR MILITARY ENCAMPMENTS

**Coast Artillery Will Come to Fort Caswell—Second Infantry Goes to Augusta—Others.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—Adjutant General Laurence W. Young of the North Carolina National Guard makes an important announcement as to the military encampments this summer as follows:

The Second infantry, Colonel Rodman, is to participate in the joint maneuvers of the regular army and militia at Augusta, Ga., August 3 to 13.

Troops A and B will also participate in the maneuvers of the Ninth division.

The Third regiment will go into camp at Camp Glenn July 6th and the First regiment July 20th.

The Coast artillery will go to Fort Caswell, below Wilmington, August 3-14.

A practice march for the field hospital corps No. 1, Asheville, and Ambulance Corps No. 1, Canton, will be held near Asheville at a date yet to be fixed.

Full equipment for all organizations has been received here and is being sent out as rapidly as possible.

# FROM DUNN TO SWANSBORO

**Two Townships in Upper Sampson to Vote $65,000 Bonds for New Railroad.**

(Special Star Correspondencee.)

Clinton, N. C., June 1.—A number of leading citizens of Uper Sampson came before the county commissioners in session here today and procured an order for an election on a $65,000 bond issue in Newton Grove and Westbrooks townships, in Sampson county, to assist in the extension of the Central Carolina railroad from Lillington to Swansboro, by way of Dunn, Newton Grove and Mount Olive.

It is said the bond issue is sure to carry, as a large majority of the qualified voters signed the petition asking for a vote.

The northern part of Sampson offers the best field for a railroad in the State. It is a wonderfully fine section, in both soil and timber.

W. J. Edwards, of Sanford, who has associated northern capitalists with him, is said to be engineering the project. The people between Clinton and Dunn are determined to have a railroad and it now looks like they are going to get one.

## DEATH AT ACME.

**Little Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edwards Passes.**

(Special Star Correespondence)

Acme, N. C., June 1.—This community was shocked when the death angel entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector H. Edwards, Friday evening, and took their little daughter, Margaret Carolyn. Margaret was only 18 months old and the younger of two lovely, sweet little sisters. She had been sick for only a short time, and it was not realized that the little one was so ill.

Her passing is made peculiarly sad because her little playmate died in Margaret's mother's arms and in the same room at the same hour, only six days before. She was the eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Osburne. Little Margaret's body was taken to Bennettsville, S. C., and laid to rest in the family burying ground.

# CRAIG PARDONS DENTON

**Tarboro Man Has Four Months on the Roads for Violating the Prohibition Law.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—On recommendation of the trial judge, the solicitor, the county officers, the prohibition advocates and many others of Edgecombe county, Governor Craig grants a pardon for R. H. Denton, the well known Tarboro man, who has served four months of a 12-months sentence on the Edgecombe roads for violating the prohibition laws.

He was operating a livery stable and search and seizure officers found a great quantity of barrels of whiskey in the stable, which it was claimed in the defense had been received on consignment by another party and was held by Denton for an amount due him while other securities were being put up.

The pardon is conditioned on good behavior. In his reasons, the Governor enumerates a great number of persons or prominent position in the county who recommend the pardon on the ground that under the circumstances the prisoner has been sufficiently punished. There was no opposition to the pardon.

**Mr. C. M. H. Hawkins Dead.**

Mr. Colin McKinzie H. Hawkins, widely connected and esteemed citizen of Raleigh, died this afternoon at a local hospital, age 67 years. He was a native of Franklin county, a son of the late Dr. W. J. Hawkins, and married Miss Janet Hogg, a daughter of the late Dr. Thomas D. Hogg. She survives him. The deceased was for several years, right after the war, in business in Baltimore. Later he came to Raleigh, was an officer in the old Raleigh Gas Company, and subsequently in the insurance business. For 20 years he has been unable to do any business on account of paralysis.

## WILSON NEWS BRIEFS.

**Refreshing Rains in County Saturday—Death.**

(Cpecial Star Correspondence)

Wilson, N. C., June 1.—Alberta Burton, the two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews, died Saturday morning after a brief illness. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. M. Bradshaw, of the Methodist church.

Farmers from various sections of the county in town Saturday reported rain and consequent improvement in crop prospects. Wilson county has not suffered as keenly from dry weather as other counties but the rain was needed.

Dr. Tom Person, injured in the Atlantic Coast Line wreck several weeks ago, is able to be out of the hospital and his large circle of friends are pleased.

## *Charters Issued*

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—A charter was issued today for the Dan Hotel Co., Salisbury, capital $100,000 authorized and $300 subscribed for building and operating a modern hotel.

Another charter was to the Sisters' Fraternal Organization B, No. 1, Inc. Charlotte, capital $2,000 authorized and with authority to begin business when $6 is paid in, the purposes being real estate development. The incorporators are Edith C. Davis, Mattie P. Wallace and others.

## TO RELIEVE INSOMNIA

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(advertisement.)

## LAURENCE IRVING, SON OF FAMOUS ACTOR, AND WIFE LOST ON EMPRESS OF IRELAND

MR. and MRS. LAURENCE IRVING

Among the passengers on the ill fated Empress of Ireland, which sank in the St. Lawrence river with great loss of life, were Laurence Irving, son of the late Henry Irving, the famous actor, and his wife. Mr. Irving followed his famous father in a stage c areer and was returning to England after an engagement in the Dominion. His wife was Mabel Hackney, an actress. Laurence Sydney Brodribb Irving was the second son of Henry Irving. He made his first appearance on the stage in 1893. He was in his illustrious father's company in 1900-04. He first toured with his wife in 1904-05. He wrote several works on the drama.


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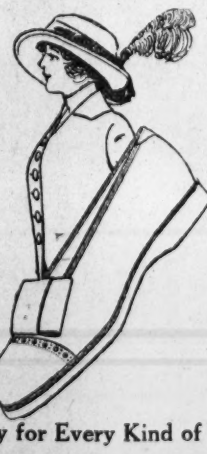

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## ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective June 1, 1914. Time Not Guaranteed.

| DEPARTURES: | TO AND FROM | ARRIVALS: |
|---|---|---|
| No. 90. ! 3:40 A.M. | Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:40 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M. | No. 91. a 1:15 A.M. |
| No. 51. 5:25 A.M. | Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.** | No. 50. 12:45 A.M. |
| No. 64. ! 5:50 A.M. | Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations. | No. 65. ! 6:15 P.M. |
| No. 48. * 8:30 A.M. | Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.** | No. 49. * 6:05 P.M. |
| No. 53. * 8:45 A.M. | Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford, commencing June 15. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Greensboro.** | No. 52. * 8:05 P.M. |
| No. 55. * 3:45 P.M. | Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points**, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta and between Florence and Columbia.** | No. 54. *12:50 P.M. |
| No. 62. * 3:25 P.M. | Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations. | No. 63. *12:50 P.M. |
| No. 30. * 6:30 P.M. | Fayetteville and Intermediate stations. | No. 60. *10:15 A.M. |
| No. 42. * 6:45 P.M. | Goldsboro, Richmond Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.** | No. 41. *10:00 A.M. |
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Tuesday, June 2, 1914.

Well, Hammer seems to have made a hit on that Asheboro postoffice matter.

The Republican party used the steam roller at Chicago in 1912, but it seems to be afraid that it made a flat failure.

The Perkins who makes pilgrimages to Sagamore Hill is not the late Eli Perkins but the present George W. Perkins.

When Villa gets on the outskirts of the City of Mexico, we hope Huerta will go right out and pick Villa out for a bout to the finish.

Big Business has proven to the country that some railroads could be run better for the stockholders if Big Business never had tried to run them according to the Wall Street rules.

A Georgia paper says "Tom Watson wants a new trial." Has Tom ever succeeded in any trial that he has made since he got in the limelight for the purpose of keeping it busy?

We are satisfied that the River of Doubt is where it always has been. The guides in the Brazilian wilderness have known for years where it is and they will show it to everybody who wants to discover it.

Georgians have been accused of voting in the South Carolina primaries. At the same time, they must have been in the minority, judging from the fact that the South Carolinians always elected their candidates.

A new weekly publication has made its appearance at Raleigh. It is to be known as the "Golden Rule" and is to be the organ of the prison reform movement in North Carolina. If there is any real prison reform movement in North Carolina, why has it not used the press of the State? Every newspaper is for prison reform.

The "Law and Order League," of Denver, has inaugurated a movement for the recall of Judge Ben Lindsay, who has made himself and Denver famous. He is a great friend of the Bull Moose, but no doubt the Colonel never advocated the recall of judges with the least thought that a man like the Denver judge would ever have the crowd after his goat.

Says the New York World: "The Presbyterian General Assembly refuses to advance from its old undiscriminative attitude on Sunday pastimes, but a rational public sentiment has ceased to wait on Presbyteries." Doubtless, that is the reason we run across a public sentiment that seems to be going from bad to worse. When the Presbyteries adopt the worldly view there will be no day to remind people that it is a day set apart for rest and sober reflections, if not worship.

Mr. Elbert Hubbard recently delivered an address before the Richmond Advertising Club, and the central idea of his talk was that there should be a "business manager" for the United States. He declared that if he had his way he would take from Big Business some captain of industry and turn over to him the job of running the country. That would suit Big Business, too, for that "cap'n of industry" knows where he would go for advice. As a matter of fact, the country is anxious for a divorce from Big Business on account of its relations with the New Haven and Union Pacific railroads, not to mention numerous other corespondents.

## THE COLONEL'S FUSION SCHEME

The Progressives of New York have invited Colonel Roosevelt to become the leader of the Progressive party in that State, regardless of who is to be the nominee for Governor. The choice of leadership under such circumstances might have two serious results—one for the party, the other for the leader. In the first place, the leader who is named under such circumstances and trusted absolutely, might want to dictate the party's nominee for Governor. On the other hand, if the party should nominate a man for whom the leader could not stand and whom he might repudiate, he would not abide by the voice of the party. Either one of those results is quite possible, and those who know the colonel regard the first one as the most likely.

The Colonel dictated to the G. O. P. its nominee for President in 1908. Everybody knows that if it had not been for President Roosevelt the Republican party never would have nominated Taft. If the Colonel would assert such dictatorial power over his old party as to the Presidency, he would not hesitate to assert his own personal preferences over his new party when it comes to the smaller function of dictating a Governor for the party.

However, anybody knows that Colonel Roosevelt is such a dominant figure in the Progressive party that they are satisfied that it must bend to his will or break with him. That would mean a split and away would go the party. In fact, in 1912, the Republican party refused longer to be dictated to by the Colonel, so he just brought it a swack across his knee and broke it to flinders.

Isn't that true? You know. So does the Progressive party in New York know it. So does the Progressive party in the United States know it. Therefore with a leader like Colonel Roosevelt, is not the Progressive party making a bid for his domination when it invites him to be the leader? That party seems to be willing to be a one-man's party, but the two old parties with all their mossbackism and faults do not belong to any one. They split up now and then, as their history shows, but no man has yet been able to hitch either to his cart very long at a time.

We are glad to say that the Democratic party has many dominant leaders. President Wilson leads by his achievements and by suggestions and appeals to the good sense and wisdom of the party, but no man is the party's dictator and no man can tyrannize over it just a little bit. However, just at the present time the Republican party is a hulk adrift, liable to make port under its own steam or be towed in by Colonel Roosevelt. The Colonel is after the old party and the signs are that he will get a big hunk of it if he does not get the whole hulk.

Just now he is working the rabbit foot on the G. O. P. in New York, and from a New York World editorial we note that the present outlook is for "fusion" on State matters, but "no amalgamation." The World does not see much difference, and its opinion is that "fusion would give Mr. Roosevelt a chance to get back into the Republican party through the side door family entrance." That is about the way the Colonel will work it, and it looks as if he is working it successfully so far.

We observe that The World knows the ultimate result of "fusion." In North Carolina in 1894, 1896, and 1898, there was fusion between the Republican and Populist parties. The Populists were absorbed and there is no Populist party any more. The G. O. P. took it over. Watch the repetition of some more history.

## THE STATE CONVENTION AND ITS DUTY.

The Democratic State Convention Meets in Raleigh next Thursday. There is nothing exciting in the air, but some have anticipated that conservatives and progressives may lock horns. Over what? We don't see much to fight over. The party leadership is so nearly agreed on general principles and policies that there are not enough differences to bring on an interlocking of horns.

The so-called progressives have no very radical ideas that need cause much disturbance. As we see it, the principal progress for the party to make in North Carolina is to provide itself with a better method of making its nominations. The gravest danger threatening the party is in the several slack twisted and universally unsatisfactory methods of making nominations. The party might go to pieces on that score sooner or later, but the State convention should not let it do so. No doubt it will commit itself to the best legalized method of making nominations, else lay up more trouble for itself in the future.

We see in the Third and Tenth Congressional districts the result of the ten-year-old-boy methods used recently in an attempt to nominate candidates for Congress. On account of the very crudeness of the primaries, the fight in both districts will be carried to the floor of the Congressional conventions, with what bitterness and results, we are soon to see. We hope everything will be smoothed out all right, but it must be admitted that things are woefully tangled in the Third and Tenth districts.

This mix-up about making nominations is history repeating itself. In the Wilmington district four years ago, we got a dose of it, the result being that the party had two nominees for Congress, Representative H. L. Godwin and the Hon. Oscar L. Clark. Finally, after the State committee arbitrated the situation, a soap-box primary resulted in the return of Mr. Godwin. He is in Congress yet, and is again the party's nominee under a system that is utterly absurd on the face of it. That is nothing against Mr. Godwin, but it is a serious reflection upon the organic intelligence of the party. How long will Democrats be made tired and disgusted by such things?

We must not forget to revert to the very first time Mr. Godwin received a nomination in this district. He was not even a candidate, and got in as a dark horse. The convention was split up over the candidates who went to the convention with their respective support, but the convention finally picked up a new and untried man and made him the party's nominee. He has managed to stay in under that system, and that it to his credit, the fault being the party's, if there is any. A "dark horse" nomination may happen sometimes to turn out all right, but there never was a "dark horse" nomination that came from the people. Such nominations came from politicians who get tied into a knot and cut loose by some cort of dicker or trade, or just break loose so the worn out delegates can get home. It is to Mr. Godwin's credit that he is himself in favor of a legalized primary. Who is afraid of such a safe method of making nominations?

It should not be overlooked that county nominating methods are in the same category as thare of nominating in the State at large and in the Congressional districts. Let us note that Columbus county recently held one of those "preferential primaries," and the dissatisfaction down there is so great that the county executive committee has requested all the nominees to resign so the whole thing can be done over.

Concerning this matter of making the people's nominations, the question is shall the party go on making itself ridiculous in the eyes of its adherents and supporters by indulging in the farce of making nominations?

It is said that the politicians have been heading off legalized direct nominations primaries, but if that has been the case, they ought to know by now that they are playing with fire.

The State convention which is to meet next Thursday ought to fully realize that the biggest party issue at this time is a safe-guarded nominations primary law which will make tangles impossible and throw contests into the courts instead of into party counsels to be threshed out to the detriment of the party. The principle thing the State convention has to do this time is to do its duty instead of locking horns.

## CORRUPT PRACTICES IN ELECTIONS.

The Columbia State a few days ago printed the sections of the South Carolina code bearing on elections. While that esteemed contemporary recalls the provisions of the laws it also makes the timely remark that "it is not unlikely that persons guilty of efforts to commit frauls in the primary elections this year will be prosecuted."

If they are not prosecuted, what good is the law for punishing those who violate and nullify the elections of the people? The State does well to urge those persons active in politics to watch out for violations and take measures to bring violators to punishment. Certainly somebody ought to do so, but probably "persons active in politics" are not so anxious as the public to see that the elections are fair. It is what every good citizen ought to do.

The South Carolina laws, as well as those of North Carolina, provide for fines and imprisomnent or both, for frauds in connection with elections, and examples made of violators is the only way such corrupt practices can be stopped.

## STEEL MAKING AT PORTS.

The question of the eligibility of the ports for blast furnaces seems to be getting practical recognition, and the availability of the ports for receiving ores and converting them is being demonstrated at both New York and Philadelphia.

The construction of two 400-ton blast furnaces in New York harbor reminds the Merchants' Association of that city that the metropolis has many advantages over Pittsburg for steel making. The World refers to that view of the Merchants' Association and backs it up by saying that "freight rates for assembling lake ores as well as Cuban, New Foundland and all foreign ores, favor New York against Pittsburg, while the vast Lake Champlain deposits are in New York's natural field."

With New York's advantages for steel plants being recognized, it is safe to say that the port of Wilmington will some day be recognized for its location within easy reach of Cuban and Venezuelan ores and because of its advantageous position as a distributing point by water and rail.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

What is needed in this country, according to Senator Borah, is a party which will "gather up the common sense, the common honesty, the common patriotism, the common courage and the common righteousness of the common people of this country, and organize it into a militant, progressive, disciplined force for legal and social justice, and do it all under the Constitution and laws of this blessed old republic." The Senator doesn't ask much of a party. No party will come completely up to his requirements, but the Democratic party is the best "bet" at present. It has done more for "legal and social justice" in a year than Mr. Borah's party did in twenty years.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Wake Forest men all over the state will be interested in the recent ruling of the board of trustees of that college abandoning the old practice of giving to ministerial students their tuition and financial aid from the college and substituting a system of loans; the ministerial students will hereafter be required to give their notes, both for money received and for tuition. However, after they have spent five years actually in the pulpit, or if they die within five years after graduation, the notes automatically become void. Wake Forest was originally founded as an institution for education of Baptist preachers, and, though the ministerial class at present comprises only about 20 per cent of the student body, the denomination has ever kept in mind the original purpose of the school, and has never charged a prospective preacher or a preacher's son a cent of tuition.—Greensboro News.

The local newspaper men in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce are arranging to give the North Carolina editors fine welcome on the occasion of the Press Convention for three days from June 24. Capt. John W. Harper has tendered the services of the steamer Wilmington for an entire day, which means that Harper will have charge of the visitors on a trip to Southport where a luncheon will be given by the citizens, and after that a call at Fort Caswell and a run out over the bar to sea. As a matter of course, a day under Harper's chaperonage will be the feature uppermost in the minds of the party booked for it, but Colonel Cowan of the Evening Dispatch, who has the arrangements in hand, is figuring on other features for the pleasure of the visiting newspaper men. The State press is so well acquainted with Wilmington and Wrightsville that it would be unnecessary for The Observer to write suggestively as to what is to be expected. It is altogether probable that Secretary Sherrill will have more responses to the roll call than for years past.—Charlotte Observer.

The North Carolina Republicans at their Greensboro meeting manifested a spirit of give and take which, if consistently followed, may result in once more uniting the party. The Observer is not one of the papers that has been inclined to regard the split in the Republican ranks of this State as anything promising permanency, and the satisfaction each faction got out of the other in the last election was about of a character to encourage a disposition to call it quits. The Taft vote in North Carolina was 29-139, while Roosevelt polled 69,130, a total of 98,269, or a percentage of 40,31 against a percentage of 59.27 for Wilson. The Republicians very well recognize the fact that divided to such an extent as they have been their party constitutes no resistance whatever to the Democratic party. For this condition the leaders of the Republican party have been to blame. Brainy men have been indulging in child's play to the sacrific of party interests and it might be said, party principles, for in the bitterness of their family strife principle has been thrown to the winds. While the Republicians have been at each other's throats the Democrats have gained no recruits, and the Republican party again united would be a stronger opposition party than before. The Observer sees these preparations for the melting pot proeess with feelings of pleasure, rather than of alarm. The course of Democracy in North Carolina since the division in the Republican ranks shows more than ever the need of a strong opposition to keep the Democratic party on its good behavior. It has been having a disposition toward reckless indifference. The prospect of facing a reunited Republican party under harmonious leadership once more cannot fail to have a beneficial effect upon the Democracy of the State. And this is spoken as a word in season.
—Charlotte Observer.

## MRS. CASTEEN DISCLAIMS TAKING ANY PART.

To the Editor of The Star:

In your issue of Wednesday, the 27th, in an article concerning the killing of George P. Jordan by his sister, Mrs. Grover Hand, it was stated in effect that Mrs. W. G. Casteen, a sister of the defendant, had been trying with Mrs. Hand to get all the property from their father and not give the deceased anything. We wish you would correct this as we are reliably informed that Mrs. Casteen has taken absolutely no part in the trouble between George P. Jordan and his sister, Mrs. Hand, and has in no way tried to influence her father against the deceased. Mrs. Casteen was absolutely neutral and had nothing whatever to do with the sad affair.

It was also stated that this statement was made by Mr. J. J. Moore and he says this is an error as he never said any such a thing.

The writer is requested to write the above by Mr. W. G. Casteen and Mr. J. J. Moore.

Yours truly,
LEON L. MOTTE.

Burgaw, N. C., May 30,—

While The Star cheerfully prints the foregoing "correction" from the editor of the Pender Chronicle, it must, in justice to itself, call attention to the fact that this paper never published any statement to the "effect that Mrs. W. G. Casteen, a sister of the defendant, had been trying with Mrs Hand to get all the property from their father and not give the deceased anything." All The Star published on this phase of the matter was the following sentence:

"It is stated that the homicide this morning was but the climax to strained relations that had existed between the two (Mrs. Hand and deceased) for quite a while because of Jordan's suspicions that his sisters, Mrs. Hand and Mrs. W. G. Casteen, were endeavoring to persuade their father to give them the advantage of their brother in the division of his estate, which is said to amount to between $15,000 and $20,000."

In other words, The Star stated that it was reported in the Burgaw section that the homicide was the climax of strained relations caused by the "suspicions" of the deceased. The Star never even published a rumor that Mrs. Casteen had taken any part in the unpleasant relations between Mrs. Hand and her brother. It published only the report that the deceased was reputed to have entertained such suspicions. Possibly Jordan had no such suspicions, but the report published in The Star that it had been stated that his suspicions were at the bottom of the ill feeling between himself and Mrs. Hand has not been denied.

This only for the purpose of "keeping history straight" as to what The Star did publish.

## J. W. JOHNSON FOR SENATE.

### Nominated by 13th District Convention at Raeford.

Raeford, N. C., May 30.—Mr. J. Worthy Johnson, one of the leading business men of this town, was nominated here today for the State Senate by the Democratic convention of the Thirteenth Senatorial district, composed of Hoke and Cumberland counties. He had no opposition. He was instructed to vote in the Senate for a State-wide legalized primary. He will succeed Mr. Q. K. Nimocks, of Fayetteville.

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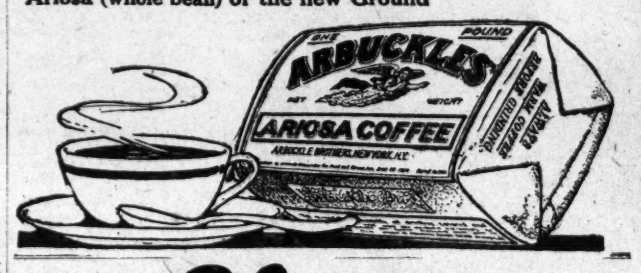


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# COUNCIL ASKED TO BOW TO WILL OF THE PEOPLE

## Mass Meeting of 500 Endorses Full Health Budget.

### Standing Committee of 25 to Present Matter to Council and to Carry to Courts if Necessary—Representative Gathering.

Moved by a common impise to stand together in a calm but firm determination is support of what they conveive to be a matter vital to the present and future welfare of the community, nearly 500 of the most representative citizens of Wilmington assembled in a mass meeting at the court house last night and without a dissenting voice adopted a resolution calling upon City Council to reconsider its action in reducing the budget for the health department for the ensuing year, and to pass the budget as approved by the Board of Health and recommended by the Board of County Commissioners. The chairman of the meeting was empowered to appoint a standing committee of 25 to appear before City Council immediately and prosecute the matter to the desired end, even to seeking relief in the courts if necessary.

Though courteous invitations had been extended personally to every member of City Council to be present, and all had been assurred that they would be given every opportunity of stating the reasons for ther action in the matter of the health budget, a roll call of the members of Council Was answered only by Mayor P. Q. Moore and Councilman C. C. Loughlin, both of whom supported the health buget as approved by the board of health, though the Mayor had no vote on the question. Councilmen B. A. Merritt, T. W. Wood and W. F. Jones, constituting the majority voting to reduce the budget, were not present, and Councilman D. N. Chadwick, Jr., who stood with Mr. Loughlin in support of the full budget, was also absent.

One fact stood out supreme above everything else at the meeting—that all present were unanimously in support of the Board of Health and its policies. This cannot be denied, for invitations from the chair and from the floor, asking that if there were any present who thought that Council had acted wisely in reducing the budget they state their reasons for such belief, brought no response. Every speaker proclaimed is no uncertain terms that he thought the appropriation asked for by the Board of Health was a reasonable one, and that to lower it meant a false economy, and that the lives of the citizens of Wilmington shall not be jeopardized for a matter of a few thousand dollars. And every speaker who voiced himseelf was cheered to the echo by the meeting.

Representing as it did the leading men from every walk of life, including bankers, merchants, railroad officials, manufacturers, physicians, lawyers, mechanics, carpenters and laborers, the meeting stands as an unrefutable expression of the sentiment of the citizenship in regard to the health work as it has been conducted here.

The resolution adopted by the meeting concedes to the three memebers of Council who voted for the reduction of the budget, the sincerity of their belief that it was a measure of econonomy, but it calls upon them to shift the responsibility of the decision of this question to the shoulders of the citizens present at the meeting, and to bow to the expressed will of the people as represented at the meeting.

#### The Resolution.

The resolution as adopted embodies suggestions from Messrs. J. Gilchrist McCormick, M. F. H. Gouverneur and J. Allen Taylor, and is as follows:

"Resolved, first that the citizens of Wilmington in mass meeting assembled are strongly in favor of an efficient health administration, and while concreding that the action of City Council in refusing to concur with the county Commissioners in approving the Health Budget as recommended by the Board of Health was doubtless actuated by a spirit of economy, for which no imputation of their motives is made, nevertheless believe that the Council erred in judgement, and that the welfare of the community demands a budget fully as large as that recommended.

"Resolved, second that this meeting approve the budget as recommended by the Board of Health, and earnestly request the City Council to yield their individual views in deference to public sentiment by promptly passing the budget as originally presented.

"Resolved third, that the chair apoint a committee of 25 representative citizens to present the matter to the City Council, and be a continuing committee in this cause until the full amount of the budget is made avilable."

It was left with W. P. Stacy, Esq., who presided as chairman, to appoint the committee, and he stated that he would probably do so this morning. The committee may await the regular meeting of Council tomorrow, to appear and present the matter to the body, or, it may be decided to ask for a special session of Council today.

#### Meeting Called to Order.

The mass meeting was called to order shortly after 8 o'clock by J. A. McNorton, Esq., and upon motion of Mr. W. A. McGirt, W. P. Stacy, Esq., was called to the chair, while Mr. D. H. Howes, Jr., was named as secretary.

At the request of the chairman, Mr. J. Allen Taylor stated the object of the meeting. He reviewed the events leading up to the meeting, pointing out that Council had cut down the budget for the health depatment as recommeended by the Board of Health and approved by the Board of Education by more than $5,000, in the face of protests from a large body of citizens who appeared before Council to ask that the full amount asked for by the Health Board be appropriated.

Mr. Taylor showed how the Board of Health is constituted by law, and pointed out that its members were selected thus in orded to be free from political influencee. That body he went on to say, had the power to provide for the health administration, but Council had undertaken to usurp the powers of the Board of Health and to control the personnel of the health administration, which the law gives it no right to do.

The meeting, Mr. Taylor said, was for the purpose of giving those present an opportunity to express themselves as to whether they wished to be guided in their atitude toward the health work in the city and county by three members of the City Council, who, however capable they may be in their own busineess or profession, are not possessed of the scientific knowledge to understand the needs of the health work, or by the knowledge and experience of the Board of Health, with two of its members among the most prominent physicians in the city, who have made speecial study of the needs of the community in this line, and furthermore backed by the opinion of health experts in the employ of the United States government, who have unqualifiedly endorsed the character of the health work accomplished here.

Mr. Taylor said, in closing, that he thought it would be a good idea if personalities be avoided, and that better results would be accomplished by speaking with calmness and determination, with criticism confined only to the facts in the case.

The chairman pointed out that under the legislative enactment combining the City and County boards of health, provision was made that the Board of Health submit to City Council and the Board of County Commissioners each year a detailed budget of the amount deemed necessary to carry on the health work in the county and city, and that of this sum it was provided that 75 per cent be paid by City Council and 25 per cent. by the Board of County Commissioners. The act made no provision, he said, for a setlement that might arise over any difference of opinion as to the amount needed, or the refusal of either of the bodies to contribute its share of the amount asked.

#### Dr. Bolles Called On.

Dr. C. P. Bolles was called on for a few remarks. He stated that he was not there espousing the cause of any man, but was fighting for a measure. The Board of Health, he said, after careful consideration, had found that it could not do the necessary health work in the community with a less amount than was asked for, and it could even use from $10,000 to $20,000 more to advantage. However, it was realized that the tax rate here is high, in view of the many public improvements undertaken recently, and only the amount that was positively the least that could be gotten along with was asked for.

He said that he believed that it would be the falsest kind of economy to cut down the health budget. The bulk of the diseases to which man is

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# TO THE STATE CONVENTION

### Delegates Appointed Yesterday, by Chairman Little—Senatorial Convention Here Saturday

Delegates from New Hanover County to the State Democratic Convention which meets in Raleigh Thursday have been appointe dby Chairman J. W. Little, of the County Executive Committee, the list having been completed yesterday afternoon. The county is entitled to a representation of 13 delegates, the figures being based on the vote for Governor Craig in 1912.

The delegates as announced by Chairman Little are as follows: Jno. D. Bellamy, W. B. Cooper, W. P. Stacy, K. O. Burgwin, D. C. Love, J. G. L. Gieschen, M. W. Jacobi, J. O. Reilly, L. Manson, W. E. Springer, J. W. H. Fuch, L. Stein and Jos. W. Little.

Aternates are appointed as follows: T. W. Davis, S. A. Matthews, L. Clayton Grant, Frank Herbst, C. W. Woodward, J. A. Price, J. F. Head, Jackson Greer, T. E. Cooper, W. E. Lawson, B. H. Stephens, H. R. Aiken, and J. A. Orrell.

The senatorial convention for this district, composed of New Hanover and Brunswick counties, will be held in the court house here Saturday at noon, the call having been issued by Chairman Little of the New Hanover Executive Committee and Mr. Geo. H. Bellamy, chairman of the Brunswick county Democratic Executive Committee.

At this convention Mr. W. B. Cooper will be nominated as the Democratic Candidate for the State Senatorship from this district. Mr. Cooper received a majority of the votes in the convention in Brunswick and the primary in this county. He was opposed by Jos. W. Ruark, of Brunswick.

## BIG INCREASE IN WATER.

### Enormous Consumption of Water by People of City the Past Week

Councilman Loughlin, in charge of the Water and Sewerage Department of the city, yesterday gave out figures from a report to him f rom Mr. John Sweeney, engineer at the water works plant, which show an enormous increase in the consumption of water from the city water mains for the week ending Sunday. The number of gallons pumped during the week was 23,312,000 gallons and for the same week last year, 13,519,000.

The daily average for the week was increase of 1,258,143. Mr. Sweeney thinks that large quantities of water are being wasted. Councilman Loughlin thinks that meters should be installed and this will doubtless be done.

### Marries Sunday Morning.

Mr. C. L. Sterne, of this city, and Miss Mary Jeffries, of Durham, were married Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the reectory of the Church of the Good Shepherd, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Thomas P. Noe. Mrs. Sterne formerly resided in this city and had been visiting here for some time. Mr. Sterne is shop forman at the Hanover Iron Works. Their many friends will extend best wishes for a happy life.

### Young People Married.

Many friends will be interested in learning of the marriage of Miss Cora Belle Bergman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bergman, of this city, and Mr. S. H. Davis, of Fayetteville, on Sunday night at 9:30 o'clock at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, the ceremony being performed by Dr. J. H. Foster. Both are popular young people and have many friends in the city and elsewhere. The groom is an electrician.

### A Half Holiday on Friday.

The following stores of the city will, beginning June 5th, close every Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock for a half holiday until September 1st: A. D. Brown, C. H. Fore & Co., C. W. Polvogt Company, French Millinery Parlors, William Goodman, H. Taylor Schiller, C. Henry Haar.

# SEASHORE OPENS TODAY

### Formal Opening of Summer Season at Wrightsville Beach—Majority of Cottages Occupied.

The Seashore hotel at Wrightsville Beach opens today, this being the first hotel at this popular resort to open its doors to the public for the summer of 1914. Capt. Edgar L. Hinton, the clever and genial manager, has been busy for several weeks, getting everything in readiness. He states that there is every prospect for a most successful season.

The Oceanic hotel will open on Wednesday, June 10th. Mr. J. H. Hinton, the proprietor, has made a number of improvements which will add much to the comfort and convenience of this well known and justly popular summer hotel.

The Hanover Inn will open this week and will be under the management of Mrs. Anne C. Wall, of Hillsboro. She arrived yesterday to make final preparations for the opening.

The majority of the cottages at the beach are already occupied, the exodus from Wilmington having begun two weeks ago. With the opening of the hotels the summer season now begins under most favorable circumstances and with indications of the most successful season that the beach has ever had.

The Northrop cottage, which will be under the management of Mrs. Elizabeth McIntosh, will open this week.

The opening dance at Lumina will be given Saturday night. Elaborate preparations are being made for the opening event at this popular pavilion. Many improvements have been made during the winter and all is in readiness for the opening. Mr. Don Richardson, of New York, will be the leader of the orchestra and will arrive Thursday.

Mr. Claud Elam, of the Jefferson hotel, will be the leader of the Seashore hotel orchestra again this season and will have with him six skilled musicians.

The employes and working force at the Seashore will be practically the same as for the past several seasons. The kitchen will be in charge of Mr. J. W. Apter, of New York, who has brought with him a force of white cooks, bakers and other help, necessary to maintain the past reputation of the hotel from a cuisine standpoint.

A number of improvements have been made at the Seashore, the whole building having been overhauled and repaired. On account of the large number of Wilmingtonians who go in the surf at the hotel, it has been necessary to enlarge both the ladies' and gentlemen's bath houses.

## MISS MOLLIE MONTFORT DEAD

### Good Woman Passes Away at Sister's Home Near Maysville.

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Miss Mollie Montfort, who passed away at the home of her sister six miles from Maysville, N. C., Friday, May 29th. She was in the 68th year of her age. Her health had been feeble for some time, and while death was not expected when it occurred, it did not surprise those who knew her condition. She is survived by one brother, Dr. W. J. Montfort, of Swansboro, N. C., and one sister, Mrs. Fannie Foscue, with whom she had been living for many years.

Miss Montfort was a consistent member of the Methodist church, a woman of solid piety and strong faith. In her younger days, while her health was good, her ministrations to sick and needy and her work of charity gave evidence of her consecrated life.

The remains were taken to Jacksonville, N. C., Sunday and conveyed to the Montfort plantation, her old home, three miles from town, and tenderly laid to rest near her father and mother. Rev. E. C. Sell, of Maysville, conducted the burial service. The beautiful floral offerings told of the love and esteem in which she was held by many friends.

## STATE SECRETARIES HERE.

### Mr. G. C. Huntington, of Charlotte, Visits Local Y. M. C. A.

Mr. G. C. Huntington, of Charlotte, Inter-State secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, and Mr. T. G. Wilson, of the same city, State secretary, arrived in the city yesterday at noon for the purpose of inspecting the affairs of the Wilmington association. They went over the handsome new building and were highly pleased with the splendid equipment. They will leave this morning for other points in this State. While here Mr. Huntington was the guest of his son, Mr. J. B. Huntington, secretary of the Wilmington Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Huntington has been in the Y. M. C. A. work for years and is recognized as one of the leaders in the South. He has general supervision of the associations in North and South Carolina.

## CHILD GROWS RADISHES.

### Little Child of Third Grade at Union School Grows Large Bunch.

Little Marilyn DeVany, a member of the Third grade at the Union school, who lives at No. 408 Nun street, age eight years, has grown a fine bunch of radishes from seed which were planted of the early spring. She did all the work herself and deserves much credit for their production.

In the early Spring a large number of packages of vegetable and flowers of the results accomplished by the children are most interesting.

## BRIEF CONVENTION IN SECOND.

### Connor and Allsbrook Re-Nominated Without Opposition.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Racky Mount, N. C., June 1.—At 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon there was held in the municipal building the Democratic judicial convention for the second district, which was a matter of short session and the unanimous nomination of Hon. George W. Connor, of Wilson, as judge from this district, and Mr. R. G. Allsbrook, of Edgecombe, as solicitor.

## NEW OFFICERS ELECTED.

### Stonewall Lodge, No. 1, Knights of Pythias, Elect Last Night.

At the regular meeting of Stonewall lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, held in their hall last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

C. C.—W. C. Owen.
V. C.—A. L. Council.
Prelate—Rev. J. S. Crowley.
M. of W.—H. J. Southwell
M. at A.—T. E. Davis.
I. G.—B. D. Farmer.
O. G.—P. L. Page.

# COMMISSIONERS URGE COUNCIL TO NAME PLAN

## Stand Pat on Position as to Health Budget.

### Refuse to Concur in Reductions Suggested by City Fathers—No Action on Incinerator Matter. Monthly Reports.

The three members of the City Council who voted to shave the health budget for the coming year were urgently requested to suggest some plan satisfactory to them by which the difference between the City Fathers, the Board of Health and the Board of County Commissioners may be considered and definitely decided, in a formal resolution adopted by the County Commissioners at their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon after that body had directed the clerk to inform the City Council that the commissioners could not see their way clear to concur in the reductions in the budget of the Board of Health, suggested by them.

Commissioner McGirt opposed the resolution, which was introduced by Commissioner Yopp, giving as his reason that he did not feel that the three members in question, because of their evident prejudices and biased opinions on the matter, were capable of suggesting any plan that would be satisfactory to the commissioners. The resolution refusing to concur in the reductions suggested by the City Council was introduced by Commissioner Moore and was adopted unanimously.

Both the health budget as adopted by the City Council and the ordinance recently enacted to have the city take over exclusively the management of the incinerator were sent to the Board of Commissioners by Capt. T. D. Meares, in his official capacity as city clerk. The Commissioners referred the incinerator matter to a special committee composed of Messrs. Yopp, McGirt and Moore, who are to report at the next meeting which will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the board having taken a recess until that time.

All of the commissioners were present and the meeting was presided over by Chairman Willard. A record of the proceedings was kept by the clerk, Mr. W. A. Williams. Reports were received from Mr. R. A. Burnett, county superintendent of roads, and Mr. P. H. Raspberry, superintendent of the county farm. Only a few routine matters were taken up and the session was a short one, lasting only an hour.

#### Want Amicable Method.

Following is the resolution introduced by Commissioner Yopp requesting that the three members of Council, favoring reductions in health budget, suggest some plan for settling the matter:

"Whereas, The act of the Legislature establishing the consolidated Board of Health of the city of Wilmington and the county of New Hanover provides no way by which a difference of opinion between the City Council and the County Commissioners may be settled, and,

"Whereas, There now exists between the City Council and the County Commissioners a disagreement as to the amount of money which should be appropriated for the use of the Board of Health, and

"Whereas, Twelve of the fifteen members of the City Council, the Board of Commissioners and the Board of Health have agreed upon the amount needed to carry on the health work, but three of the five members of the City Council, being a majority of the Council, have different views, and

"Whereas, We believe some amicable method should be adopted by which these different views may be reconciled, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the three members of the City Council above referred to be urgently requested to suggest some plan satisfactory to them by which the matters of difference between the City Council, the Board of Commissioners, and the Board of Health may be considered and definitely decided."

#### Should Not Hamper Work.

The resolution of Commissioner Moore, refusing to concur in the reductions in health budget suggested by City Council, is as follows:

"Whereas, The work of sanitation and improvement of health conditions in New Hanover county has attracted such widespread attention, resulting in extensive and valuable activities by the United States Government and other outside and philanthropic agencies to improve the health conditions of our community, and

"Whereas, The result of this work is so plainly shown in both the mortality and morbidity statistics of our county, therefore

"Be it Resolved, That in the opinion of this board it would be most unwise to hamper in any way this great work which is accomplishing so much for the indigent and suffering portion of our population.

"Resolved further, That the City Council be respectfully informed that this board cannot see its way clear to concur in the reductions in the budget of the Board of Health suggested by them."

On motion of Commissioner McGirt it was decided to improve 17th street from Market to Bellevue cemetery.

#### No Deep Wells Until Fall.

After some discussion the Commissioners decided to wait until fall before boring any more deep wells, and in the meantime will ask the Board of Education to aid in bearing the expense where they are located near school houses. The discussion was precipitated by a motion of Commissioner McGirt that a well be driven at Wrightsboro for the benefit of truckers and others who use the road in that vicinity. Mr. McGirt opposed the action of waiting until fall because he thought that the one at Wrightsville and perhaps others should be driven this summer. The other members thought it would be better to wait because of a lack of money to do the work now.

The matter of building concrete bridges was also discussed, but no action was taken. All the members thought that the county ought to have them, but doubted the advisability of taking the forces off the roads at this time when the weather is favorable for building roads.

A communication from Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, requesting that the county

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# Announcement

We are pleased to announce that all deposits made with this strong old Savings Bank on or before Tuesday, June 2nd, will draw Interest from JUNE 1st.

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# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Florence Potter is visiting Miss Grace Snow at Nillsboro, N. C.

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Miss Bessie Hinton, of Raleigh, who has been the guest of Miss Christine Stevenson, has returned to her home.

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Mr. and Mrs. James F. Post have moved to their home at Wrightsville Sound.

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Messrs. J. W. Batson and J. J. Hotchkins have moved their families to Wrightsville Beach for the summer.

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Miss Nell Waldo, of Waldo, Ga., has returned home after a pleasant visit to Mrs. J. Haughton James at Carolina Heights.

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Miss Nell Ellis, who has been the guest of Miss Madeline DeRosset, will leave tomorrow for Atlanta, Ga., for a visit before returning to her home at New Orleans.

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Miss Rea Swain, of Suburb, spent the week-end in the city with relatives, en route to her home from an extended visit to friends in Florida and Georgia.

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Mrs. A. Shrier and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Solomon and children, have moved to their cottage at Wrightsville, near station 1.

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Friends of Mr. H. H. Ford will regret to learn of the extreme illness of his father, Dr. C. T. Ford, of Mullins, S. C. Mr. Ford has been with his father for the past week. On account of his advanced years, little hope is entertained for his recovery.

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Under the auspices of the Euthian Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, a recital will be given in Memorial Hall of the church tonight at 8:30 o'clock by Miss Lucy Behrends, reader, and Miss Rachel Pearsall, soloist. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the lecture room of the First Baptist church. Members are requested to note that the date of the regular meeting has been changed from the first Thursday to the first Tuesday in each month.

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The following from The Atlanta Journal will be of interest in this State: "Mrs. J. Hoffiln of Columbus, Ga., announces the engagement of her daughter, Mabel to Mr. M. H. Gold of Beaufort, N. C., the wedding to take place at home in the early Fall."

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Mrs. M. O. Calloway and daughter, Mrs. A. D. McClure, left yesterday afternoon for Spartanburg, where they will visit Mrs. Galloway's other daughter, Mrs. W. S. Glenn. Returning, Mrs. McClure, accompanied by her son, Edwin, who is visiting in Spartanburg now, will come by way of Greensboro, where they will be joined Friday by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure and attend the Christian Endeavor Convention.

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Sunday's Charlotte Observer: "Miss Atha Hicks, of Wilmington, who is spending a few days with Miss Sarah Brockenbrough, at her home in Meyers Park, will be the guest of Mrs. Latta C. Johnston, at her home on North Tryon street, after today. From Charlotte Miss Hicks will go to Dunn to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. Charles Speaks Hicks, and Miss Mary Goodwin, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Conway Goodwin, which takes place June 20th."

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Friends in the city have received invitations reading:

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Calvin Barker
request the pleasure of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Elsie Gertrude
to
Mr. George Samuel Beatty
on Wednesday morning,
the tenth of June
at nine o'clock
Olive Chapel Baptist Church
Apex, North Carolina.

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Wilmington friends of the prospective groom, who formerly resided here, have received invitations as follows:

Mrs. Donald McQueen
requests the honor of your company
at the wedding reception of her
daughter
Harriette Keitt
and
Mr. Shepperd Turner Pender
on Wednesday evening, June the 17th
from half after 9 until 11 o'clock
Thirteen, twenty Senate street
Columbia, South Carolina.

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Friends here have received the following announcement:

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McCheyne Denny
announce the marriage of their sister
Lavine Palmer Evans
to
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fourteen
Knoxville, Tennessee

Mrs. Voss is a sister of Mr. Chas. N. Evans, and has often visited in Wilmington, where she is most pleasantly remembered.

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Of State-wide interest is the announcement contained in invitations received by friends, reading as follows:

Mrs. Elizabeth Mayhew Hendren
announces the approaching marriage
of her daughter
Mary
to
Major Zebulon Baird Vance
on Thursday, June the eleventh
nineteen hundred and fourteen
Newbern, North Carolina.

Miss Hendren is an accomplished and cultured young woman, and is popular socially throughout Eastern North Carolina. Major Vance, a son of the late Governor Vance, is a resident of Charlotte, and a retired officer of the regular army.

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### SENIOR CLASS EXERCISES ON FRIDAY EVENING.

Invitations reading as follows have been sent to friends in the city and elsewhere:

The Senior Class
of the
Wilmington High School
requests your presence at its
commencement exercises
Friday evening, June fifth
nineteen hundred and fourteen
at eight-thirty o'clock
Academy of Music

The class roll follows:

Alice Elizabeth Adkins, Emily Lois Allen, Mary Giles Bellamy, Ruth Bowen, Ida Thelma Brooks, Athalia Rankin Bunting, Ella Amelia Collins, Margaret Hetherington George, Jeanette Chalmers Glenn, Cecile Arneater Gore, Jessie Harper, Ida Horowitz, Janie Elizabeth Jones, Hattie Penelope King, Mary Elizabeth Moore, Louise Margaret Niestile, Lillian Annie Solomon, Elizabeth Moffitt Thames, Isabel Thomas, Valira Thomas, Gordon Elmira Thomson, Paul Fitz Simmons Hammond, William Dougald MacMillan, Jr., Jr., John Moore Gray Hicks, Marion MacRae, George Spencer LeGrande, Jr., Henry Nurnberger, Leroy Matthew Polvogt, Nathan Jacobi Silverman, Charles Woodley Wagner, John Allan Thames.

## LOCAL DOTS.

—There will be a meeting of the Rescue Workers at the Salvation Army headquarters tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

—The Tidewater Power Company announces that prior to the beginning of the regular summer schedule, additional train service will be given on the suburban line as follows: Leave Lumina at 6:05, 7:10 and 8:15 A. M.

—Probable cause was found yesterday by Justice Harriss in a case against Herbert Croom, white, charged with false pretense, and the case sent to Superior court for trial. The amount involved is $20 and the charge grew out of a horse trade.

—Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs yesterday by Justice Harriss in a case against Edgar Thomas, colored, charged with assaulting Harry Graham. A case against Shep Newkirk, colored, charged with false pretense, was continued until today.

—The Star is requested to state that property recently mentioned in the real estate transfers as having been sold by L. Abelovitz and wife to the Knickerbocker Clothing Company was not really sold, the transfer being merely a temporary conveyance for the purposes of securing a loan.

### NUMBER OF CHANGES IN A. C. L. SCHEDULES

**Attractive Sunday Rates to Wilmington from Many Nearby Points.**

Effective yesterday, a number of changes in schedules were made by the Atlantic Coast Line which will add greatly to the convenience of those who wish to visit Wilmington during the Summer months. Beginning next Sunday and continuing until September 13th, a Sunday train will be put on which will arrive from Newbern at 10:15 A. M. and returning will leave at 7:15 P. M. Nos. 59 and 60 which have been operated heretofore between Wilmington and Sanford daily except Sunday, will in the future run every day between Wilmington and Fayetteville only, arriving at Wilmington at 10:15 A. M. and leaving at 6:30 P. M. as at present.

As previously announced the Florence local began running daily. Sundays included, on May 3rd. This train leaves Wilmington at 6:20 P. M. and arrives at 9:55 A. M.

Commencing next Sunday the Coast Line has announced low rate Sunday excursion tickets from all nearby points to this city and these will continue until about September 13th. Rates to the more important points, with proportionately low rates from intermediate points, have been announced as follows:

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| Rocky Mount | $2.50 |
| Wilson | 2.00 |
| Goldsboro | 1.50 |
| Mount Olive | 1.40 |
| Warsaw | 1.10 |
| Burgaw | .45 |
| Newbern | 1.25 |
| Jacksonville | 1.00 |
| Fayetteville | 1.50 |
| Chadbourn | 1.25 |
| Whiteville | 1.15 |
| Lake Waccamaw | 1.00 |

These rates are effective only for Sunday trains except that from Rocky Mount and intermediate points where tickets will be sold Sunday morning and limited to return either to the 6:45 train on Sunday or the 3:40 train on Monday morning.

Another change which will be of interest to the public will be earlier arrival of the Atlanta train. Hereafter, this train which runs via Florence, Sumter and Augusta, will arrive at 12:50 P. M., instead of 1:15 P. M. It will continue to leave Wilmington at 3:45 P. M. This train, which is receiving very liberal patronage, carries through sleeping car of all steel construction.

### BEFORE THE RECORDER.

**Two Score Cases in Court Yesterday Morning—Unimportant.**

It was a long docket that the Recorder faced yesterday morning when Acting Solicitor Robert W. Strange began calling the roll. Many of them were for being drunk and disorderly, while others were for petty larceny and other like offenses. A number of the cases were continued.

F. A. Lawrence, colored, was sent to the roads for three months on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. Vass Johnson, colored, had to pay the costs for riding a bicycle without lights. Lizzie Edyards and Lassie Allen, both colored, went to the farm for 30 days each on a charge of disorderly conduct. Maggie Davis, colored, same charge, paid $5 and the costs. Washington wasn't guilty of being disorderly. David Bordeaux, colored, paid $10 and the cost for assault on a female. Joseph Strong, colored, wasn't guilty of trespass. Alex. Dixon, colored, wasn't guilty of violating the prohibition law. Johnnie Simmons, colored, was sent to the roads for three months on the county roads.

A nol pros with leave was taken in a case against Robert Jones, colored, charged with larceny.

The following cases were continued until today: Charles Bailey, colored, charged with larceny; Richard Raleigh, colored, charged with larceny; William Kennedy, colored, charged with larceny; B. W. Carter, a white contractor, charged with fraud. A case against William Rising, white, charged with resisting an officer and with being drunk, was continued until Wednesday. A case against Myrtle Page, white, charged with vagrancy, was continued until Thursday.

**Good Showing for Postoffice.**

The receipts of the Wilmington postoffice for May were $11,517.96, an increase of $396.17 over the same month last year. The receipts for April of this year were $10,631.02, making the increase for May over this month, $886.94.

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### LETTER TO GIRLS OF CITY

**Secretary of Youngs Woman's Christian Association Writes.**

My dear Girls:

This is the beginning a series of letters that I am going to write you. I am so anxious to meet you and call you my friends. And when I say "friends" I mean all that that word implies. I want you to share with me my joys and my sorrows and I want to share yours. Then we will be friends indeed. We have a beautiful work to do together in Wilmington and I want you to help me and I want to help you.

Who am I and why do I want us to be mutually helpful? What do I except to you? I am the secretary of the Young Woman's Christian Association, and I am expecting you to help me make our association building the most popular place in the city.

You will believe with me that we can do this thing, if you could see how attractive the ladies are making the building. They are not going to let you see it until it is all finished, but I am going to tell you a secret. There are all kinds of cozy corners and window seats and two of the loveliest back verandas upstairs and down, and all kinds of comfortable seats in the back yard.

We have had a lot of books given to us and they are for our use any time of the day or night. Then there is to be a lovely rest room where we can lie down and rest at noon; and there is a kitchenette that is for our use. I suppose I had better not tell you about anything else that is there, but the building is ours, girls, to use as our social, our recreation and our club center, where we can get together for mutual helpfulness and benefit.

And remember, girls, our building is for every girl in the city, regardless of age or creed. Won't you tell that to the girls next to you? Won't you clip this letter from the paper and send it to some one, who has possibly overlooked it?

I do not know what night we are going to "open house" but we will let you know in plenty of time. Be ready for it and be ready to help make it a most enjoyable evening when it does come.

While we are waiting for the building to open, won't you come to see me at No. 221 Market street? I am anxious to have you call on me, so that I can find out from you just what we want to do. How would you like to have a Busineess Girls' Club, the purpose of the organization being to popularize the association by inviting girls to enjoy its privileges? Think about this.

Your friend,
ELLA A. CLARK.

### NEW A. C. L. TIME TABLE.

**"Purple Folder" Just Out, Contains Many Features of Interest.**

The "Purple Folder" of the Atlantic Coast Line, corrected to June 1st, is being distributed and contains several features of general interest aside from the schedules and through car service of the company.

Prominent space is given on the back cover pages to the two new daily trains recently inaugurated by the Coast Line, viz: between Wilmington and Atlanta and between Florence and Roanoke, and on the inside pages a long list of summer excursion rates and also a list of reduced excursion rates to conventions, summer schools of various universities, etc., are shown, all of which are open to the public.

The Coast Line now has 4,667 miles of road, much of which is double tracked, and all of which is operated from the General Offices in Wilmington; indeed, a much greater mileage than this is operated from here, as the jurisdiction of most of the general officers of the company extends over several other roads.

Parties interested in the subjects referred to, or in the schedules and through car service of the company may obtain one of the folders by telephoning No. 160.

### COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

**Closing of St. Thomas School for Colored at Academy of Music.**

The third annual closing exercises of St. Thomas' school for colored children were held at the Academy of Music last night. The attendance was large and the audience showed their appreciation of the efforts of the children by frequent applause. The programme rendered consisted of songs, drills, duets and the Cantata, "Red Riding Hood's Rescue." There were 11 graduates, three from the high school and eight from the grammar school.

Mayor P. Q. Moore made a short address which was highly appreciated by the audience. After the awarding of the medals and the presentation of the diplomas by Rev. Father Hayden, the entertainment closed with the singing by the children of "The Blessing of St. Francis." Great credit is due the Sisters in charge for the success of the evening.

### PIGEONS LIBERATED HERE.

**Postmaster Green Starts Birds on Long Journey to Pennsylvania.**

Postmaster H. McL. Green started six carrier pigeons on a long journey to Port Carbon, Pa., Sunday morning at 7:32 o'clock. The birds were liberated in the postoffice park in front of the Star office. They were shipped to Wilmington by Mr. G. W. Beddell, of Port Carbon, who desired to see how long it would take the birds to make the trip home. The distance to be covered is between 600 and 700 miles, and it was estimated that it would take them 12 hours.

There were six birds in the lot which arrived here Saturday afternoon. Mr. Green fed them and gave them water, so that they would be in prime condition for their journey. When released they flew directly east across the Cape Fear Club building, then circled around, got their bearings and then turned north at lightning speed.

**Death of Young Son.**

Friends will sympathize tenderly with Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Smith in the death of their infant son, Thomas O'Neill Smith, which occurred at the family home on the Castle Haynes road Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock after a short illness. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home of Mr. Samuel Smith, No. 709 North Fifth street. Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist church, conducted the services. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

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HEADACHES SUCCUMB

To Anti-Kamnia Tablets.
(Advertisement.)

THIS STORE
Will close next Friday at 1 P. M. and every Friday thereafter at 1 P. M. to Sept. 1st
A. Brown
"The Wooltex Store."

Announcement to the Ladies

Mrs. L. C. Euker, representing the Reinach Company, Incorporated, of Richmond, Va., will display at the Orton Hotel, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2nd and 3rd, with the largest and most exclusive line of Ladies' Dresses, Waists and Millinery ever shown in this city.
Your inspection is cordially invited.

The Foard Hardware Store
29 South Front Street
TENTS
Fishing Tackle Old Town Canoes
Motor Boat Supplies
Live out doors and get big and strong

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50,000 5-inch No. 1 Cypress Shingles.
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25,000 5-inch Hand-Made Shingles.
15,000 4-inch Pine Shingles.
40,000 No. 1 Pine Laths.
4,000 bags Portland Cement.
2,000 bags Wall Plaster.
300 bags Fire Clay.
400 bags Hydrated Lime.
500 barrels Rock Lime.
100,000 Darlington Brick.
20,000 Fire Brick.
9,000 Wash. Pressed Brick.
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MARY PICKFORD
TODAY
AT THE
GRAND
From 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.
—IN—
"Tess of the Storm Country"
Absolutely the greatest Picture ever shown in Wilmington. It renders a portrayal of inexhaustable fascination.
You cannot afford to miss seeing it.
CHILDREN.. .. .... .... 5c
ADULTS.. .. .. .. .. ....10c

"The Call Back"
Mammoth Nestor Drama, featuring Warren Kerrigan
An Exceptional Offering.
"THE MAN WITHIN."
Rousing Nestor Drama, Featuring Miss Dorothy Davenport.
"IN THE SPIDER'S WEB"
Third Big Dramatic Offering on Today's Programme.
"A BOOB THERE WAS."
One of the Best Comedies Ever.
BIJOU
FIVE CENTS.

Laugh at TOOTH TROUBLES

and you will be able to do so easily if we are your Dentists. We do all kinds of crown and bridge work, filling, filing, capping, painless extracting is one of our specialties. Ask your friends about our work—you will find our reputation is second to none for conscientious work. And our charges are based on reason. We keep every patron we once treat.
CROWN AND BRIDGE WORK A SPECIALTY
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Phone 608
Corner Front and Princess Sts.

NOTICE

Pending the beginning of the summer schedule the Tide Water Power Company announces the following additional train service on the Suburban Line, effective June 1st.
Leaving Lumina at 6:05 A. M.
Leaving Lumina at 7:10 A. M.
Leaving Lumina at 8:15 A. M.

THE SUNBEAM CLUB
—OF—
MISS ALDERMAN'S SCHOOL
Annual Appearance
ACADEMY OF MUSIC
June 3, 1914, at 8:30 P. M.
ADMISSION, 25c.
Boxsheet at Yates' Bookstore Monday Morning.

W. G. FOUNTAIN
AUTOS FOR HIRE
Five-Passengers cars $2.00 per hour.
Large Cars, $2.50 per hour.
Hack calls up to five passengers, $1.00
Good new cars. Day or night.
Phone 741. No. 5 N. Third St.
W. G. FOUNTAIN.

No. 666
This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

DAVID'S

Copyright Hart Schaffner & Marx

NOTICE how well this young man looks from the back. That's the view a lot of people get of you. You ought to make sure it's a good one. When you wear

Hart Schaffner & Marx

clothes, you'll look a long ways before you'll find better clothes; they aren't made.

You'll agree when you see the good things here at $18; better ones at $20 and $25.

Palm Beach Suits, $7.50 to $10.00.

The A. David Company

The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx good clothes.

FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With Thedford's Black-Draught.

McDuff, Va.—"I suffered for several years," says Mrs. J. B. Whittaker, of this place, "with sick headache, and stomach trouble.

Ten years ago a friend told me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, which I did, and I found it to be the best family medicine for young and old.

I keep Black-Draught on hand all the time now, and when my children feel a little bad, they ask me for a dose, and it does them more good than any medicine they ever tried.

We never have a long spell of sickness in our family, since we commenced using Black-Draught."

Thedford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and has been found to regulate weak stomachs, aid digestion, relieve indigestion, colic, wind, nausea, headache, sick stomach, and similar symptoms.

It has been in constant use for more than 70 years, and has benefited more than a million people.

Your druggist sells and recommends Black-Draught. Price only 25c. Get a package to-day. N. C. 123

Homely, Yet admired and Envied; Her Secret

The convention crowd made a path for her, cast admiring side glances, then with longing eyes followed her to the elevator. It was at the Pontchartrain in Detroit. The incident was recalled when I chanced to sit across table from the woman. What was it about her that caused all that commotion? Her complexion. Really, I've never beheld its equal. Venturing to pick up acquaintanceship, I learned the secret.

"I've tried to make the most of my one charm," she said. "I know men abhor make-ups and artificiality. I bar cosmetics; there are two things I use to promote natural loveliness and youthful appearance. When my complexion begins to age I get an ounce of mercolized wax at the drug store, apply at night like cold cream, wash it off in the morning. This gradually flakes off the outer skin; then I have a brand new complexion, magnetically beautiful, as you see.

"Wrinkles never bother me. At their inception I bathe my face in a solution made by dissolving an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint of witch hazel. It works like magic."—Morrow, in Tattler.

# TO HONOR PAST MASTER

**Special Communication of Grand Lodge of Masons of State Here This Evening.**

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A. F. & A. M., has been called in special communication to convene in the Masonic Temple hall, this city, by the Most Worshipful Grand Master, John T. Alderman, Henderson, N. C., this evening at 8:30 o'clock, for the purpose of presenting a Past Grand Master's Jewel to Past Grand Master Charles H. Robinson, a member and Past Master of Wilmington Lodge No. 19.

The presentation on behalf of the Grand Lodge will be made by Past Master E. S. Martin, of St. John's Lodge No. 1, who was the private secretary to Past Grand Master Robinson when he was Grand Master for the years 1877-1878.

The Grand Tiler, Mr. Robert H. Bradley, will arrive from Raleigh this morning with the Grand Lodge Paraphernalia, etc., to arrange for this occasion.

The members of the three Blue Lodges and all affiliated Master Masons in the city will be cordially welcomed and those not being duly qualified are requested to present their credentials at the Temple by 7:45 o'clock this evening for examination.

# COMMISSIONERS URGE COUNCIL TO NAME PLAN

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superintendent of health be allowed his expenses to attend the annual meeting of the health officers of the State to be held in Raleigh on June 15th, was read and it was voted to appropriate the money necessary for this purpose.

A communication was read from Mr. S. R. Ellis, requesting that there be a correction in the amount assessed against some property owned by him at Winter Park, and was referred to the county auditor.

Capt. E. P. Bailey appeared before the board to ask that they make their usual annual appropriation of $600 to the Wilmington Light Infantry. The county auditor and treasurer was directed to pay this amount in two installments of $300 each, the first to be made now and the other six months later.

Money to pay a substitute Recorder $4 a day for a period of two weeks while the Recorder takes a vacation was appropriated. On the approval of the county commissioners, K. C. Sidbury, Esq., was granted a refund of $7. A claim by R. H. Jarman for the hire of a team while collecting taxes in Harnett township was disallowed. On recommendation of the county superintendent of health, J. W. Hall, of Delgado, was relieved of the payment of poll tax because of physical disability.

Commissioner Moore reported that he had not recently received any complaint as to the drainage at Winter Park on account of the dry weather that has prevailed. Chairman Willard suggested that it would be a good idea if the residents of that section would get the necessary pipe to connect with a ditch along the road, that the county would do all the work necessary to get rid of the water, if the pipes were laid. This matter will be taken up by the road committee.

**Road Work for May.**

Following is the report of Mr. R. A. Burnett, county superintendent of roads, of the work done during May: "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

"I hereby make my monthly report for the month of May, 1914.

"Number of prisoners previously reported, 103; number of prisoners received during month, 25; number of persons released during month 34; total number of prisoners in camp this date, 94. Cars of rock from mine, 6; hauled by truck, 145 tons.

"Camp No. 2 is in charge of E. L. Eakins. This camp is stationed about nine miles from the city on the Federal Point road. They have at this camp 14 men and eight teams. They have built 700 yards of road bed, 40 feet wide; have moved 3,027 cubic yards of earth, and have had one cart hauling straw along road.

"Camp No. 3 is in charge of J. A. Perry. This camp is stationed about one-fourth of a mile from Sea Gate on the Greenville Sound road. They have at this camp 14 men and 10 teams. This camp has completed 250 yards of rock road at Wrightsville Sound and have cleared 2,200 feet of right-of-way on the Greenville road and have completed 1,200 feet of road and laid 100 feet of pipe.

"Camp No. 4 is in charge of Will Gurganus. This camp is stationed at the eight mile post on the Scott's Hill road. They have at this camp two teams and 10 men and have built 400 yards of road and put in 68 feet of 20-inch metal pipe.

"Gang No. 5 is in charge of G. C. Orr. This gang stays at the permanent camp at night. They have in this gang four teams and seven men. They worked over 1 1-2 miles of the Scott's Hill road and are now putting oil on the same road, commencing at 17th and Market streets. They worked two days at the 10-mile post on the Castle Haynes road.

"Gang No. 6 is in charge of T. F. Brewer. This gang stays at night at the permanent camp and they have in this gang 10 men and two teams. They have put in 140 feet of pipe at Winter Park and have cleaned 2,900 yards of ditch and also cleaned ditches along the Castle street road, and are now working the Masonboro road at Whiskey Creek."

**Report of County Farm.**

The report of Mr. P. H. Raspberry, superintendent of the county farm, is as follows:

"Board of Commissioners, New Hanover County.

"Gentlemen:—I hand you herewith my report of the county home and farm for the month of May:

"We have at the home six white inmates and 14 colored, making a total of 20. There are 35 prisoners.

"Have had no deaths to report the past month, and the health of both the inmates and prisoners was good. The sanitary conditions of the home is good and we strive to keep the surroundings in a healthy condition. Considering the long dry spell of weather, our crops are coming along fairly well and we have a good stand of corn. Our truck crops are suffering on account of drought, and we are not able to do much this year in this line because of this long dry spell of weather. We are furnishing the camps with vegetables and forage as usual."

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# THEATRICAL

One of the most tempting menu's of the week will be served up in the usual dainty style at the popular photoplay house today, consisting of three high grade dramatic features, and an up-to-now, rattling good comedy.

Heading the list is a big Victor drama, "The Call Back" in which J. Warren Kerrigan is featured in the leading role, supported by Bess Meredyth, Vera Sisson and M. B. Robbins, all stars. It is a great story told in a way that only the Victori star player know how to tell it in movies, and will strike a responsive chord in Wilmington today. The finder of a pocketbook is pursued as a thief, and the many exciting climaxes make this one of the most interesting movies of the times.

A big Nestor drama, "The Man Within" comes second, and is featured by the great work of Miss Dorathy Davenport in the leading role, supported by Wallace Reid, Clarence Burton and Phil Dunham—you all know them. A sense of gratitude on the part of criminals is often used by writers of drama and romance as a redeeming quality in the felon, and in the present instance it is a fugitive from justice upon who's head a price of $2,000 has been set by the State.

"In the Spider's Web" is the third big dramatic offering on today's extra big bill, and is one among the best, the story of a man who neglects his wife, and the spider's web into which it leads him.

The comedy end is supported by a big Rex offering, "A Boob There Was," and the story is about the "boob there was" who had never become sufficiently intimate with a woman to look at her teeth without blushing. However, he traded his cow for an auto, and won the girl.

**Miss Mary Pickford Today.**

Today and tomorrow theatre-goers of Wilmington will be offered an exceptionally brillant event, one that costs much in order for them to behold it, but which will cost them but a tiny sum to witness. Today and tomorrow the Grand Theatre, the people's favorite amusement palace, will offer American's foremost moving picture actress, Miss Mary Pickford, in a magnificent production of the noted tale, "Tess of the Storm Country," by Grace Miller White. The production is made by the Famous Players Company and is presented by no less a distinguished theatre manager than Mr. Daniel Frohman.

Theatre-goers of this city should also note that the wonderful mammoth moving picture production will be offered them for the tiny price of 10 cents admission, the smallest ever charged; not only in North Carolina, but anywhere. The same film has been presented in Charlotte for 20 cents admission, but the Grand offers it for half such cost. The Grand has made special arrangements for these two great days and the Wurlitzer orchestra will present a programme of speecial music, both overtures and incidental numbers.

"Tess of the Storm Country" is a great dramatic success and Miss Pickford does the greatest piece of acting she has ever done in the title role of this wonderful film. In order to afford every one ample chance to witness this great film the performances will commence at the Grand today at 11 a. m. and continue until 11 o'clock tonight.

## MR. BRAND CONSPICIOUS IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

**One of Nominees for Moderator—Many Expressions of Admiration.**

One of the conspicious men of the Southern General Assembly of the Presbyterian church at Kansas City was Mr. R. A. Brand, of this city, fourth vice president and freight traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast Line. Mr. Brand has long taken an active part in church work and is a ruling elder in the First Presbyterian church, of Wilmington. He devotes to the interests of his church the same conscientious efforts that have made him a master in the business world and is recognized as a leader in his denomination.

The following words of appreciation of Mr. Brand were written from Kansas City by Dr. J. F. Matheson, assembly commissioner, to The Star for publication:

"One of the conspicious men of the Southern General Assembly in session here, is Ruling Elder R. A. Brand, of your city. Mr. Brand was one of the nominees for Moderator, and but for this being an Assembly with educational institutions most conspicious he would have been hard to defeat. It was fitting that for this assembly, the head of Davidson College, Dr. W. J. Martin, should be Moderator, and he is presiding with his accustomed ability.

"But it will gratify many to know that as this is being written at the request of Dr. Martin, Mr. Brand is in the moderator's chair, presiding with the skill and grace characteristic of him. There are many expressions of admiration for Mr. Brand and of satisfaction with a church that produces such an officer, who is so vigorous in religion and in business."

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

**Number of Papers Filed for Registration Yesterday.**

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: A. O. McEachern and wife to Mollie F. Morris, for $1,000 and other considerations, tract in Harnett township, on south line of old Newbern road, containing 12 acres; A. J. Andrews and wife to Henry McMillan, for $10 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of Seventh and Marsteller streets, 33x77.5 feet in size; W. A. Dick, trustee, to Emma B. Croom, for $10 and other considerations, lot 24 Carolina Court; T. C. Morris and wife to E. T. Taylor, trustee, for $1,000 and other considerations, tract in Harnett township, on south line of old Newbern road, containing 12 acres; W. A. Dick, trustee, to R. F. Colwell and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot 37, Carolina Court; Addie C. Rogers to Wilson Rogers and wife, for $10 and other considerations, tract in Harnett township, on east line of Bradley's Creek road, containing 1-4 acre; Joseph Schad and wife to Kenneth O.Burgwin for $2,007.93 and other considerations, lot on northwest corner of 15th and Market streets, 60x130 feet in size; Susan E. Moore, executrix, to Ruth A. Stolter, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east line of 12th, 132 feet north of Ann, 33x150 feet in size; Susan E. Moore, executrix, to A. C. Craft, Jr., for $100 and other considerations, lot on east line of 12th, 66 feet north of Ann, 33x150 feet in size.

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## MR. HAYNES SAYS END OF THE WORLD IS APPROACHING.

**Evangelist Sees Indications of It in Signs of Times.**

In a strong address in which reference was made to the Mexican imbroglio, the strife between capital and labor, the high cost of living, the decline of personal piety, and frenzied finance, these things were marshalled in forceful array and set before a big audience as indications of the nearness of the end of the world by Evangelist Carlyle B. Haynes last night at his Chautauqua tent at 11th and Market Streets, under the subject of "The Sign of the Times." And that his audience was strongly moved was evident from the intense interest which was manifested by everyone present to the very end of the address.

Emphasizing his remarks with vigorous gestures, Mr. Haynes said: "To all men of common sense and candor the fact is open and obvious that the age in which we live is peculiar in its financial, religious, moral, intellectual, scientific, mechanical, national, physical and social aspects. And in many of these things the Bible student is able to discern the signs of the coming of the Saviour, the signs of the times.

"The Scriptures plainly foretell great national troubles, calamities, and convolsions, which shall all terminate in the great day of God Almighty. All these troubles, tumults and strifes are to be closed up by the personal coming of the Son of God to judge and punish and destroy his foes.

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# LAST YEAR'S "FINDS" CALCULATED TO SET HOT PACE

By ODGERS T. GURNEE.

NOW that the major league baseball season is well under way and the tumult and shouting of the Federal invasion have died down, the fans will have an opportunity to look over the youngsters who are striving to make good in the big show and pick their favorites. Last year was a poor one as far as numbers were concerned, but for ability the "finds" of 1913 surpass those of many other seasons.

The majority of phenoms uncovered were twirlers. In this department are Joe Bush of the Athletics, Reb Russell of the White Sox, Al Demaree of the Giants, Joe Boehling of the Senators, Chief Johnson of the Reds and Erskine Mayer of the Phillies. Each one of these men made their big league debut last year and made a name for himself before the season was many days old. Russell was probably of the greatest service to his club, with Demaree and Boehling running a stiff race for second honors. Bush came into his own in the world's series.

A number of other boxmen who showed promise of latent ability were James of the Braves, Aitchison of Brooklyn, Pierce of the Cubs, Schauer and Schupp of the Giants, Marshall of the Phillies, Cooper of the Pirates, Doak of the Cardinals, Galia of the Senators, Brown, Houck, Shawkey, Pennock and Wykoff of the Athletics; Weilman and Leverenz of the Browns and Cullop of the Naps.

The star performer among the other positions was "Rabbit" Maranville of the Braves. The diminutive shortstop fitted into the Boston team wonderfully and was the fielding sensation of the league.

The other infield and outfield stars who first shone forth last year were: Ray Chapman of the Naps, Fritz Maisel of the Yanks, Red Smith of Brooklyn, Stengel of Brooklyn, Whitted of the Cardinals, Leibold of the Naps and George Burns of the Giants.

In this group Maranville surpassed all the others in value to his club, although Maisel and Burns did yeoman service.

A few others there were who showed flashes of major league form and have been kept for another tryout on the big time. Principal among them are: Mann, Braves; Schmidt, Braves; Fisher, Brooklyn; Mollwitz, Cubs; Berghammer, Reds; Thorpe, Giants; Burns, Phillies; Acosta, Senators; Gossett and Gilhooley, Yanks, and Agnew, Browns.

Photos by American Press Association.

1.—Russell, White Sox. 2.—Schang, Athletics. 3.—Smith, Brooklyn. 4.—Boehling, Senators. 5.—Demaree, Giants. 6.—Bush, Athletics. 7.—Maisel, Yankees. 8.—Maranville, Braves.

## New Faces On English Polo Team

THERE is a surprise in store for American poloists, according to the latest advices from Madrid, where the English team is practicing for the international matches. The team which is to meet America has been picked and two of the four men selected are practically unknown in this country. The lineup as decided on at present is: Captain H. Tomkinson, No. 1; Major F. W. Barrett, No. 2; Captain Vivian Lockett, No. 3; Major C. Hunter, back.

In picking this team such good players as Captain Matthew Lannowe, Captain E. Palmes and Captain Rallston were eliminated. Captain Ritson is out of it because of sickness. The chief difficulty was to find No. 1, and, though Captain Palmes was the favorite for the position, he had to be dropped because he was a man that it was found hard to mount. Captain Tomkinson, who has been chosen to make the attack on the American goal, was a leading figure in English polo last year. He played No. 2 on the Quidnuncs, which won the open championship of England, and also was in the same position for the Fifteenth hussars, which won the interregimental cup. He is a hard hitter, with good direction, and is considered the equal of Captain Cheape, who was the advance man last year.

Perhaps the most important part of the lineup is the change from No. 3 to No. 2 of Major F. W. Barrett, the most brilliant player of the 1913 English season. This change was made because the practice showed that the team was particularly well off in backs. Captain Vivian Lockett, who played back on the visiting four last year, has been moved up to No. 3, and his place as guardian of the goal turned over to Major C. Hunter. Major Hunter is another man not well known here, but he made a sensational back for the Tigers' team in the big matches last year. According to the critics on the other side, Major Hunter was the whole Tiger team.

As selected, the English team practically becomes one of two forwards and two backs. If no change is made it will offer a novelty so far as the direction of play goes, for Major Barrett, who is slated for the captaincy, thinks that he can fulfill his duties while playing No. 2, instead of being at No. 3, which is his regular place and also the place usually occupied by the team captain.

As soon as the internationalists reach England a match will be arranged against the old Cantabs, which is considered the trial horse of English polo. On this team will be Captain Haseltine, No. 1; F. M. Freake, No. 2; W. S. Buckmaster, No. 3, and A. L. Tate, back. The men will have two weeks' practice at Hurlingham before leaving for this country. The trial matches will be played under the direction of Sir Douglas Haig, the newly elected chairman of the Hurlingham club.

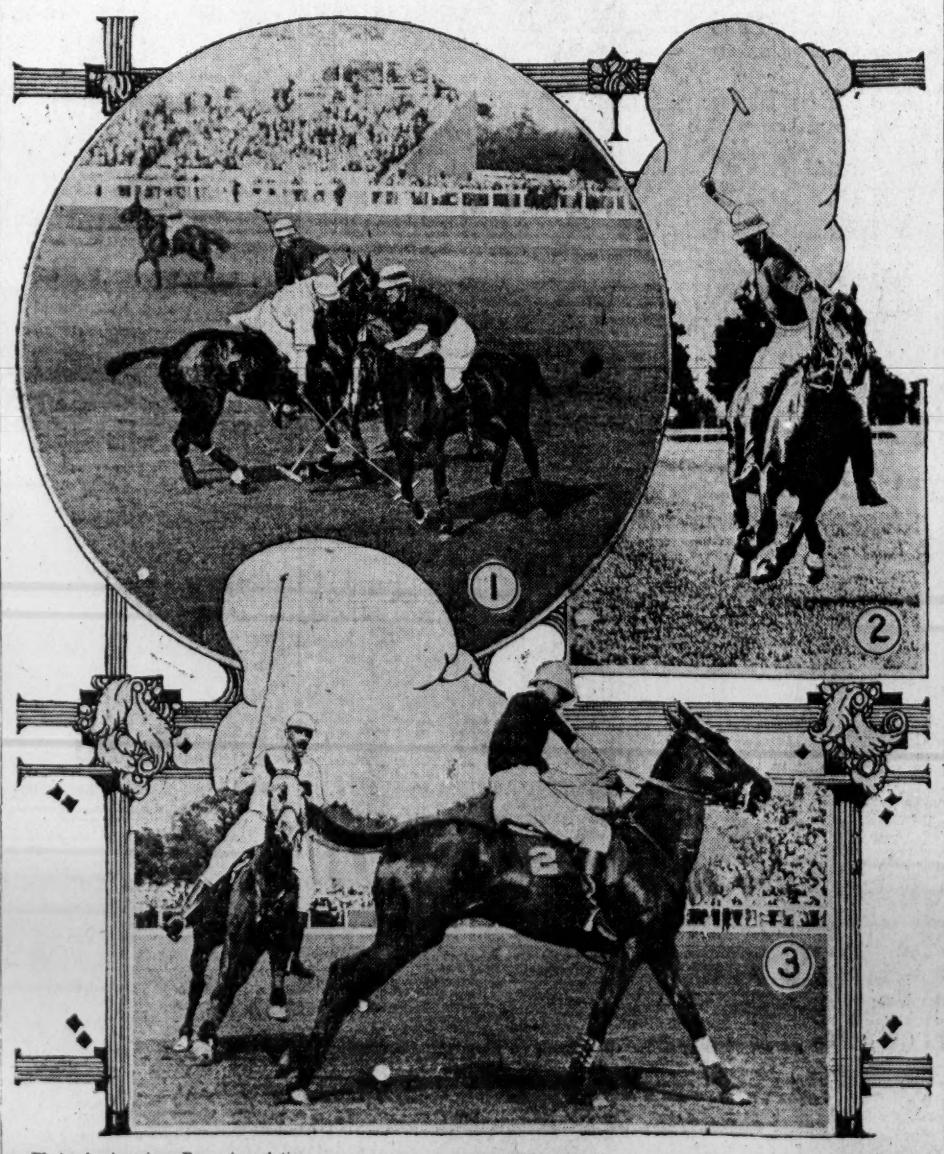
There is considerable satisfaction abroad over the forwardness of the invaders. The practice in Spain has brought the team to a stage that was not reached last year until just before the international matches. With the team practically determined, the Englishmen will be able to cut down considerably on the ponies to be brought here. The latest idea is to ship only about thirty ponies, the ones which will be used in the actual play. These have been selected with regard to the men that will use them in the matches, and each animal has been chosen for its fitness for the position it will have to play.

### SOCKALEXIS SENIOR TOO OLD FOR MARATHON.

LOUIS SOCKALEXIS of Old Town, Me., father of Andrew Sockalexis, winner of the Boston Athletic association Marathon race two years ago, offered himself as an entrant for this year's race, but his sixty years were held to be too many to allow him to compete with the youth of the country, and his entry was rejected.

Louis said he had trained faithfully all winter, hoping to equal the performance of his son.

## Polo Candidates Working Hard to Repel New British Invasion



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1.—Scene from last international match. 2.—Larry Waterbury in practice at Lakewood. 3.—Foxhall Keene and Malcom Stevenson in a scrimmage.

THE candidates for America's polo team are working out at the estate of George J. Gould at Lakewood, N. J., and intense rivalry is manifested in the race for positions. It is certain that the two Waterbury brothers, with Devereaux Milburn will make up three-quarters of the team. Both Harry Payne Whitney and Louis Stoddard have given up the game for the time being, leaving Malcom Stevenson, Foxhall Keene and Rene Le Montagne to fight it out.

## Nap Lajoie Never Kicks Over Salary

NAPOLEON LAJOIE never has been known to complain regarding the salary paid him by Charles W. Somers, but it is quite likely that he wishes that during all the time he has worked for the Naps their liberal owner had offered him a bonus, such as Joe Jackson has been proffered this season. The Carolina clouter, according to a rumor, is to get so much if he hits above .400, so much if he hits above .375, and so much if he hits above .350. Never having hit below the last named mark since he has been in the American league the chances are that J. J. will earn at least one of them.

Look what Larry would have had, however, in the way of extra remuneration had his contract called for more money in the event of his hitting above .350, .375 or .400. In 1901, working for Connie Mack, the king piled up an average of .422, still the highwater mark for the American league and only approached by Ty Cobb in 1911, the year he was accounted the most valuable player in the younger organization by the Chalmers jury of newspaper experts. The Georgian hit .420 that year and .410 the next, Joe Jackson having an average of .408 in 1911, and Charley (Duke) Farrell an average of .404 in 1903.

During the two years of his employment by Somers, Larry has hit better than .375 and in five years better than .350. Cobb has been above the last named mark six times, Hans Wagner five times, Joe Jackson four times, Tris Speaker twice, Ed Delehanty twice, Olaf Henricksen twice and Mike Donlin twice.

### JOHNSON AFTER GREAT STRIKEOUT RECORD.

THERE are a number of remarkable things which may happen during this summer's baseball season, but one which is sure to come off is that Walter Johnson will pass the 1,500 mark in strikeouts unless he abandons the game or breaks that $100,000 arm.

The man who won the automobile for being the most valuable player in the American league last season has, since he entered fast company, claimed 1,458 strikeout victims. No other major league hurler has in the seven consecutive seasons from 1907 to 1913 amassed this total. In fact, only three other men have fanned over 1,000 ball players in this length of time. They are Ed Walsh, Nap Rucker and Christy Mathewson.

"Big Ed" Walsh, the spitball star of the White Sox, has been Johnson's closest rival for the title of strikeout king. The Chicagoan has sent 1,405 batters back to the bench since he has been a contemporary of the Senatorial star. Walsh twirled in only sixteen games last season, but from 1907 to 1913, inclusive, he took part in forty-eight more battles than the renowned Kansan.

Christy Mathewson has fanned 1,137 men in the last seven campaigns and Nap Rucker 1,128. Eddie Plank, Connie Mack's great southpaw, almost reached the 1,000 mark in that time, 997 of his adversaries taking the count. Chief Bender claimed 864 victims, Howard Camnitz 804, Jack Coombs 784, Mordecai Brown 747, Leon Ames 748, George Mullin 704, Harry White 628, Ed Reulbach 603 and George Wiltse 580.

Johnson's average of strikeouts a game from 1907 to 1913, inclusive, has been 5.41, Ed Walsh's figures being 4.38 and Chief Bender's 4.02. Only two of the men mentioned have averaged more than 200 strikeouts a campaign, the pair being Johnson and Walsh. The easterner's average is 208, the westerner's 201. Ranking third on this basis is Christy Mathewson, with 162. Walsh has been the busiest toiler from 1907 to 1913, inclusive, with "Big Six" next in line.

Photos by American Press Association.

Ed Walsh (above) and Walter Johnson.

Here are the totals of strikeouts piled up by the fourteen major league hurlers from 1907 to 1913, inclusive:

| Pitcher. | Games. | Strike-outs. | Aver. game. | Aver. per season. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Johnson, Senators | 273 | 1,458 | 5.41 | 208 |
| Walsh, White Sox | 321 | 1,405 | 4.38 | 201 |
| Mathewson, Giants | 300 | 1,137 | 3.79 | 162 |
| Rucker, Superbas | 292 | 1,128 | 3.86 | 161 |
| Plank, White Elephants | 269 | 997 | 3.71 | 142 |
| Bender, White Elephants | 215 | 864 | 4.02 | 123 |
| Camnitz, Pirates-Philadelphias | 274 | 804 | 2.93 | 115 |
| Coombs, White Elephants | 204 | 784 | 3.84 | 112 |
| Ames, Giants-Reds | 230 | 748 | 3.25 | 107 |
| Brown, Cubs-Reds | 281 | 747 | 2.66 | 107 |
| Mullin, Tigers-Senators | 236 | 704 | 3.00 | 100 |
| White, White Sox | 219 | 628 | 2.87 | 90 |
| Reulbach, Cubs-Superbas | 228 | 603 | 2.64 | 86 |
| Wiltse, Giants | 225 | 580 | 2.58 | 83 |

## Crew Coaches Discuss Four Mile Race

AMERICAN college crew coaches are hopelessly divided over shortening boat races from four to three miles.

Guy Nickalls, Yale—A short race does a man more harm than a long race. The mile and one-sixth race at Henley does the oarsmen more harm than the four and one-quarter mile race at Putney.

James Rice, Columbia—I do not believe in a four mile race for college crews, and I am heartily in favor of the race for junior eight oared university crews in place of the old four oared race. It is not right to have mere boys train down for such a race in the short period of time that we in America give to rowing.

James Ten Eyck, Syracuse—There is no danger of serious injury to an oarsman who takes part in a four mile race provided he is a sound man and is in good health on race days.

George Epler, Wisconsin—I think the three mile race would answer all purposes for which it is intended and at the same time eliminate some of the objections to rowing.

Vivian Nickalls, University of Pennsylvania—I would just as soon have a three mile race, but I am afraid that the cry would go up for a two, then for a one mile race if this change were carried out. If they will sign up for twenty years for a three mile race, then I'll agree.

Dr. Spaeth, Princeton—I have always been opposed to the four mile race for Princeton. There may be less harm in the longer race for those colleges which can practice for the full distance on their home course, but I do not believe in spending so much time and money to send crews away for practice.

F. L. Guerna, Leland Stanford—There is no reason for adhering to the four mile distance, which is admittedly a greater physical strain to the oarsmen, unless its continuation means benefits that do not attend the three mile race.

Charles Courtney, Cornell—I don't believe in a four mile race. I never did, and I am unalterably opposed to it.

H. B. Conibear, Washington—The distance has nothing to do with it.

### NET MATCH DATES CHANGED.

NINE new lawn tennis tournaments and the same number of changes in dates previously awarded have been announced by Edwin F. Torrey, secretary of the United States National Lawn Tennis association.

Of the new tournaments the doubles championships of western Pennsylvania scheduled for the Altoona Cricket club in August and the award of February and March dates for the national indoor championship for men and women at the Seventh regiment army in New York are important.

### PRINCETON TO HAVE STADIUM

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made by President Hibben of Princeton university that Edgar Palmer of Rye, N. Y., a graduate of the class of 1903, has offered to build a stadium and present it to the university for use of the athletic association in time to be used for the Yale football game next fall.

# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

## LARGE ADVANCE IN COTTON

**Notwithstanding Big Advance of The Past Two Weeks Higher Prices Were Established.**

New York, June 1.—Notwithstanding the big advance of the past two or three weeks still higher prices were established in the cotton market after the publication of the government's crop report today with October and December contracts selling above 13 cents for the first time this season. Heavy realizing was encountered but was absorbed on comparatively moderate reastions and the market closed steady at a net gain of 22 to 37 points, as compared with the final quotations on Friday.

There was an opening advance of 8 to 13 points owing to the failure of the weather map to show any material improvement in the conditions over the two day adjournment and prices sold some 17 to 22 points net higher before the official conditions figures were issued. The private reports of last week had prepared the trade for an unfavorable showing, but the actual statement indicating a condition of only 74.3 per cent. as of May 25th, proved even more bulish that anticipated, and evidently brought in buying orders from all directions.

It was a holiday in the Liverpool market and in most European circles but some cabled orders were received while there was active buying by local and Southern interests and a ocnsiderable demand from two or three of the large spot houses. Active sold 30 to 44 points net highter in consequence, with December contracts touching 13.10. Reactions of 10 or 12 points followed under heavy profit-taking. Very bullish operations were expressed on the basis of the official condition report indicating that the start of the crop was fully 6 per cent. under the average and with but two exceptions the most unfavorable reported for the past 20 years while buyers pointed out that weather conditions have remained unfavorable over a good part of the belt since the government data were compiled.

Futures closed steady.

| Month: | Open. | High. | Low. | CClose. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| July | 13.20 | 13.42 | 13.20 | 13.34 |
| Aug | 13.05 | 13.30 | 13.03 | 13.23 |
| Oct | 12.73 | 13.06 | 12.70 | 13.01 |
| Dec | 12.81 | 13.10 | 12.76 | 13.04 |
| Jan | 12.61 | 12.91 | 12.58 | 12.87 |
| Mar | 12.60 | 12.93 | 12.60 | 12.88 |

**The Port Movement.**

New Orleans—Middling, 14.00; receipts, 332; exports, 1,000; sales, 1,035; stock, 129,-835.

Galveston—Middling, 14.00; receipts, 2,-129; exports, 5,589; sales, 1,125; stock, 123,-867.

Mobile—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 124; exports, 3,901; stock, 9,057.

Savannah—Middling, 13⅞; receipts, 1,768; exports, 5,571; sales, 240; stock, 49,333.

Charleston—Middling, 13½; receipts, 28; stock, 4,562.

Wilmington — Nominal; receipts, 66; stock, 14,430.

Norfolk—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 729; exports, 312; sales, 237; stock, 21,806.

Baltimore—Middling, 13¾; stock, 3,243.

Boston—Middling, 13.75; stock, 10,400.

Philadelphia—Middling, 14.00; stock, 152

New York — Middling, 13.75; exports, 658; stock, 123,413.

Minor Ports—Stock, 3,565.

Total today—Receipts, 5,176; exports, 17,-031; stock, 500,036.

Total for week—Receipts, 16,758; exports, 34,969.

Total for season—Receipts, 10,108,698; exports, 8,461,391.

**Interior Movement.**

Houston—Middling, 13⅞; receipts, 2,572; shipments, 1,974; sales, 622; stock, 67,738.

Memphis—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 954; shipments, 657; sales, 300; stock, 42,334.

Augusta—Middling, 14¼; receipts, 78; shipments, 663; sales, 38; stock, 23,121.

St. Louis—Middling, 13½; receipts, 3,669; shipments, 3,669; stock, 24,149.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 410; shipments, 50; stock, 19,196.

Little Rock—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 65; shipments, 413; stock, 30,767.

Total today—Receipts, 7,748; shipments, 8,426; stock, 208,305.

### FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York June 1.—Mercantile paper, 3¾@4. Sterling exchange, firm; sixty days, 4.8570; demand, 4.8835. Commercial bills, 4.8514. Bar silver, 56½. Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds, easy; railroad bonds, steady.

Call money, steady, 1¾@1⅞; ruling rate, 1¾; closing bid, 1¾@1⅞. Time loans, steady; sixty and ninety days, 2½; six months 3¼.

### NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, June 1.—Turpentine, firm, at 43¾c.; sales, 1,070; receipts, 470; shipments, 57; stocks, 18,047.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 909; receipts, 1,092; shipments, 910; stocks, 108,096. Quote: A, B, 3.67½@3.70; C, D, 3.85; E, 3.90; F, G, 4.00; H, 4.02½; I, 4.10; K, 4.30; M, 4.70; N, 5.20; W G, 5.65; W W, 6.00.

### DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, June 1.—Cotton goods opened for Fall by one large concern were priced on a basis of a year ago. Cotton yarns were higher today. Raw silk was unchanged. Wool products were slow.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, June 1.—Hogs—Steady. Bulk of sales, 7.95@8.05; pigs, 7.00@7.75.

Cattle—Steady. Cows and heifers, 3.70@8.75. Calves, 7.00@9.50.

Sheep—Steady. Lambs, 6.25@8.35.

## INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS AND FIRE MARSHALS MEET.

**Hold National Conventions in Asheville in September.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young, just back from Asheville, where he went to make preliminary arrangements for the meeting of the National convention of Insurance Commissioners and the Fire Marshals' Association of America there in September, says the hotel managers and the people generally manifested the keenest interest and that the indications are for a most enjoyable and successful session. The insurance commissioners will be in session September 15th to 18th, and the fire marshals September 11th and 12th. There will be about 350 people for the two conventions.

## PROBABLY FATALLY SHOT.

**Row at a "Singing" in Granville County Sunday.**

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—Robert Pearce was probably fatally shot Sunday by Lehman Allen at Woodland Chapel, Granville county, where a "vocal union" or singing school was in progress, and is being treated in the Wake Forest hospital. The row started over a game of cards out in the grove, it is said. Allen is a Wake county man, a well known young farmer of New Light township. The shooting is claimed to have been in self defense. The particulars are not known here. The Granville authorities are investigating.

## BEARS HAD THE ADVANTAGE

**Prospects for Bumper Wheat Crop in Kansas and Near Approach of Harvest Time Effective.**

Chicago, June 1.—With harvest only a week away in Kansas and with a prospect of that State yielding a magnificent crop of 180,000,000 bushels, the bears had the advantage today in the wheat pit. Prices closed heavy and lower all around. Corn wound up 1-8 to 5-8c above Saturday night; oats varying from a shade off to 1-4 advance, and provisions at a gain of 2 1-2 to 12 1-2.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—July, 86¼; September, 85¼.
Corn—July, 68⅝; September, 66⅝.
Oats—July, 39⅝; September, 38.
Pork—July, 19.80; September, 19.65.
Lard—July, 9.82; September, 9.97.
Ribs—July, 11.10; September, 11.17.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 94¾@95¾; No. 2, hard, 93¾@96; No. 2, Northern, 96@97; No. 2, Spring, 95@96.

Corn—No. 2, 70; No. 2, yellow, 70@71.

Oats—No No. 2 quotations; standard, 40½.

## MARINE.

**Arrived.**

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**List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.**

**Steamers.**

Str. Usher (Br.), 2,350 tons, Doty, Heide & Co.

Str. Iris (Belg.), 1,796 tons, Theriar, Heide & Co.

Str. Rossano (Br.), 2,365 tons, Bailey, Henry Whyte.

**Schooners.**

Schr. Millie R. Bohannan, 379 tons, Stillie, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Persis A. Coldwell, 440 tons, Stratton, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons Coulbourne, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Ida L. Miller, Olsen, Maffitt & Wood.

**Barges.**

Barge Mattie L. Johnson, Johnson, Maffitt & Wood.

### WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 43¼.

ROSIN—Steady, at $3.45.

TAR—Firm, at $2.25 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, 2.50 per barrel for hard; 3.50 per barrel for dip; 3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits, 35½; rosin, 4.30; tar, 2.20; crude turpentine, 3.50, 3.75, 2.75.

**Receipts.**

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|---|---|
| Spirits Turpentine | 2 |
| Rosin | (—) |
| Tar | 24 |
| Crude Turpentine | 12 |

Receipts same day last year — Spirits turpentine, 9 casks; rosin, 141 barrels; tar, 6 barrels; crude turpentine, 8 barrels. last year, 11¾.

**COTTON MARKET.**

Market — Spot, quiet; middling, nominal; last year, 11¼.

Receipts, 62; same day last year, 250 bales.

Total receipts since September 1, 398,480 bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 309,-987 bales.

### PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith May 30, 1914.)

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.60 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90; good demand.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@12c.; large, good, 10c.

WOOL—Burry, 11 to 12c. per lb.; free 17c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12½c.; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c.; new sides and shoulders, 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—18c. per dozen; may go higher.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

### WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., May 30.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market, weaker; receipts, heavy; fancy hand-picked, 95c.; No. 1, machine-picked, 90c.; choice, 85c. per bushel.

Virginias—Steady. Fancy hand-picked, $1.10; No. 1, machine picked, $1.05 per bushel.

Spanish—Weaker, $1.25 per bushel.

### BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, N. C. June 1.

Atlantic Coast Line—66 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—66 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

### PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc. Petersburg, Va., May 29.—Spanish—Farmers' Spanish, steady, $1.35 per bushel.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4½c. to 4¾c. per bushel. Fancy hand-picked, 4½c. to 4¾c. per lb. Extra prime, 4¼c. to 4½c. per lb. Prime, 4c. to 4¼c. per lb. Shelling stock, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb.

## MISSOURI PACIFIC RESCUED.

**From Its Difficulties at The Eleventh Hour—Will Make Exchange.**

New York, June 1.—The Missouri Pacific railway was rescued from its difficulties at the eleventh hour today when it was officially announced that the plan to exchange $25,000,000 of three year five per cent. notes, expiring on this date, for a like amount of onet year 6 per cent. notes had been declared "definitive."

There was a qualifying clause to the arrangement, however, inasmuch as the final date of extension was set forward to June 5th. t is understood that the estate of Jay Gould and Speyer & Company, the road's bankers, virtually have agreed to purchase the notes, estimated at between $3,-000,000 and $5,000,000 of those who refused to grant an extension.

## CHANGES IN FACULTY.

**Teachers for Warsaw Schools Chosen for Next Year.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., June 1.—The board of directors of the Warsaw Graded and High Schools have re-elected the entire faculty who had charge of the schools the past year, with only three exceptions. Miss Hunter, of Elliott, will succeed Miss Edwards as teacher of the sixth grade; Miss Paige Fryar succeeds Miss Burrows as teacher in the eighth and ninth grades, and Mr. Siske, of Chapel Hill, comes as principal, succeeding Mr. Edwards.

Spartanburg, S. C., June 1.—Captain John W. Carlisle, prominent citizen and Confederate Veteran, died here today. He was 87 years old.

## UNEVEN STOCK MARKET

**Missouri Pacific Affairs Hung Like a Cloud Over Stock Exchange Yesterday.**

New York, June 1.—Missouri Pacific affairs hung like a cloud over today's dull and uneven stock market. This being the final day for action regarding the $25,000,000 note extension plan, unusual interest attached to the situation because of its relation to other properties similarly involved.

The stock fluctuated feverishly and the 4 per cent bonds were strong, but the balance of the list moved sluggishly within narrow limits. There were other deterrent factors, such as another gold export engagement, the action of the United States Senate in referring an inquiry into New York Central to the inter-State Commerce Commission, another statement from the White House wherein the adverse state of general trade was assigned in part to the failure of the railroads to buy equipment and a variety of railroad earnings most of which were regarded as favorable. London and Paris were again observing holidays so the local market derived no impulse from those centers. The resignation of the French cabinet occasioned no surprise.

Money brokers reported no change from the recent dull monetary conditions, due to the light demand.

The bond market was steady, but the only feature was Missouri Pacific where issues rose and held their gains. Total sales, par value, were $1,758,000. United States registered 2s declined 1-8 per cent on call.

### NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

| | |
|---|---|
| Amalgamated Copper | 71⅞ |
| American Agricultural | 53½ |
| American Can | 27¼ |
| American Car and Foundry | 50¾ |
| American Cities, pfd | 65 |
| American Cotton Oil | 42 |
| American Smelting | 63¼ |
| American Snuff | 162 |
| American Sugar | 108 |
| American Tel. and Tel. | 122¼ |
| American Tobacco | 228 |
| Atchison | 97½ |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 122½ |
| Baltimore and Ohio | 91 |
| Canadian Pacific | 195 |
| Central Leather | 34⅞ |
| Chesapeake and Ohio | 51¾ |
| Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul | 100⅛ |
| Erie | 28⅝ |
| General Electric | 146⅝ |
| Great Northern, pfd | 124⅝ |
| Illinois Central | 111¾ |
| Interborough-Met., pfd | 62¼ |
| Kansas City Southern | 26⅝ |
| Lehigh Valley | 153¾ |
| Louisville and Nashville | 136 |
| Liggett and Myers | 214 |
| Lorillard Co | 172½ |
| Missouri, Kansas and Texas | 17 |
| Missouri Pacific | 38⅝ |
| Mexican Petroleum | 62⅝ |
| New York Central | 91⅛ |
| N. Y., N. H. and Hartford | 66 |
| Norfolk and Western | 164 |
| Northern Pacific | 111 |
| Pennsylvania | 111½ |
| Reading | 163½ |
| Rep. Iron and Steel | 22⅞ |
| Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd | 87 |
| Rock Island Co | 9 |
| Rock Island Co., pfd | 41½ |
| St. L. and San Fran. 2nd pfd | 5 |
| Seaboard Air Line | 19¼ |
| Seaboard Air Line, pfd | 54⅛ |
| Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron | 28 |
| Southern Pacific | 92⅞ |
| Southern Railway | 24⅞ |
| Southern Railway, pfd | 70 |
| Tennessee Copper | 34⅝ |
| Texas Co | 146 |
| Texas and Pacific | 15½ |
| Union Pacific | 155 |
| United States Steel, ex. div | 61 |
| United States Steel, pfd | 100¼ |
| Utah Copper | 56⅝ |
| Virginia-Carolina Chem | 28⅝ |
| Western Union | 61⅞ |

### NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 1.—Sugar—Raw, firm; molasses sugar, 2.74; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.39; refined, steady.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 9¼; Santos, No. 4, 12; mild, dull; Cordova, 12¼@16, nominal.

Cotton Seed Oil—Firm, closing 10 to 12 points net higher on leading months. Covering of shorts and professional buying on the advance in cotton and lard was the cause of strength. New outside buying was disappointingly small. The market closed firm. Spot, 7.15@7.28; June, 7.19@7.28; July 7.28@7.30; August, 7.41@7.42; September, 7.48@7.50; October, 7.32@7.34; November, 6.95@7.05; December, 6.95@6.98; January, 6.89@6.99. Totaal sales, 8,900.

## CROPS IN WEST SUFFERING.

**Dry Weather in the Mountains Rather Distressing.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—Mr. A. Cannon, of Henderson county, here for the semi-annual meeting of the State Board of Agriculture this week, says that the crops in his section are suffering greatly for rain, but that there is still good chance for good crops if the drought breaks any time soon. The fruit crop, he says, looks like about a 50 per cent yield in his section. He predicts, however, that the general yield and profit to the farmers will be as much as if the yield was twice as large, through finer quality of the fruit and higher prices that will be realized.

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## THE WEATHER.

**United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.**

June 2, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 74 degrees; at 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 79 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 P. M., yesterday, 2.8 feet.

**WEATHER FORECAST.**

For North Carolina—Unsettled Tuesday; probably local showers; Wednesday, fair, warmer.

**The Port Calendar, June 2, 1914.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Sun rises | 5:01 A. M. |
| Sun sets | 7:19 P. M. |
| Day's length | 14 hrs. and 18 min. |

**Tides.**

| | High water. A.M. | High water. P.M. | Low water A.M. | Low water P.M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wilmington | 4:20 | 4:58 | 11:45 | 12:00 |
| Southport | 1:50 | 2:27 | 8:23 | 9:00 |
| Masonboro Inlet | 1:39 | 2:16 | 8:03 | 8:40 |

**WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.**

June 1, 1914.

| STATIONS: | Weather at 8 P. M. | Temperature: Highest today. | Temperature: Lowest last night. | Precipitation 8 P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abilene | cloudy | 82 | 66 | .04 |
| Asheville | raining | 84 | 58 | .0 |
| Atlanta | cloudy | 88 | 66 | .34 |
| Augusta | cloudy | 86 | 68 | .0 |
| Birmingham | pt cldy | 92 | 66 | .0 |
| Boston | clear | 78 | 64 | .0 |
| Charleston | cloudy | 78 | 74 | .20 |
| Charlotte | cloudy | 86 | 70 | .0 |
| Chicago | clear | 68 | 60 | .26 |
| Galveston | pt cldy | 82 | 76 | .0 |
| Jacksonville | pt cldy | 88 | 72 | .0 |
| Memphis | pt cldy | 90 | 72 | .0 |
| Mobile | cldy | 94 | 74 | .0 |
| Montgomery | clear | 92 | 66 | .0 |
| New Orleans | pt cldy | 94 | 74 | .0 |
| New York | cloudy | 74 | 62 | .0 |
| Oklahoma | cloudy | 84 | 68 | .01 |
| Palestine | clear | 88 | 66 | .0 |
| Pittsburgh | clear | 74 | 60 | .0 |
| Raleigh | clear | 86 | 70 | .0 |
| Savannah | pt cldy | 82 | 74 | .01 |
| Shreveport | clear | 90 | 70 | .0 |
| St. Louis | cloudy | 84 | 72 | .01 |
| Washington | cloudy | 86 | 62 | .0 |

## MR. W. P. STACY SPEAKS.

**Orator of Commencement of Tarboro High School.**

Tarboro, N. C., June 1.—Mr. W. P. Stacy was the orator at the commencement exercises of the Tarboro high school held in the school building Friday night. Mr. Stacy, who is a prominent young attorney of Wilmington, spoke on the subject "Essentials of Citizenship," and his address was one that appealed to all.

Diplomas were awarded by Mr. R. G. Kittrell to the following: Misses Eva Pridgen, Susie Webb, Lillian Walston and Robert Harvey, Arthur Barlow and Nicholas Constantine.

## CROPS GOOD IN HALIFAX.

**Cotton and Peanuts Are Exceptionally Fine.**

Raleigh, N. C., June 1.—Col. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, just back from Halifax county, says the cotton and peanut crops in that section are exceptionally fine,the draught conditions not having hurt either as yet. He delivered an address at Scotland Neck Saturday.

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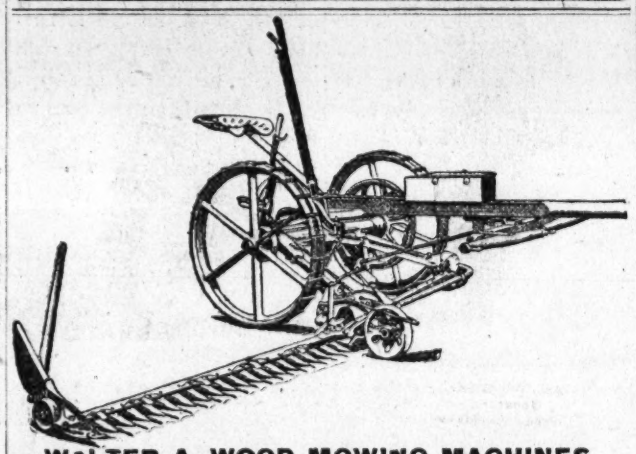

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State of North Carolina, New Hanover County.

To John Haar, Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County:

D. L. Gore enters (8) eight acres land in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, bounded on the South and East by his Elm Grove tract, and on the North and West by his Roger Moore tract.

This the 14th day of May, 1914.

D. L. GORE.

Entered and filed this, the 14th day of May 1914.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.
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# MEDIATORS WISH ALL INFORMATION

## Regarding Attitude of General Carranza.

## MESSAGE NOT EXPLICIT

### Recent Note From Carranza and His Statement of Last Night Lacking in Information Desired—To Make a Reply.

Niagara Falls, June 1.—More explicit information regarding the attitude of General Carranza than was contained in his last communication brought by Juan F. Urquidi or the unofficial statement to the press telegraphed from Durango tonight is awaited by the mediators before deciding on the subject of Constitutionalist representation here. This information may be obtained from the Washington government.

The mediators are preparing a reply to the message brought by Urquidi.

A statement from Durango did not clarify the situation as to the points they are interested in: Whether Carranza will agree to an armistice for ten days or two weeks or more, and whether his representatives would agree to discuss the entire subject of pacification of Mexico.

The expression from Durango did not alter the opinion of the mediators toward the Constitutionalists. The diplomats claim that from the very outset they have kept the interests of the Constitutionalists in mind, and have planned to give them as great a share in the new government as is proportionate with their strength.

**Justice Lamar Hopeful.**

The American delegates argued at length with the mediators today about Constitutionalist participation. At the conclusion of the conference, Justice Lamar said that he was "hopeful" and that the views presented were "not so far apart."

Discussion of the subject will be continued tomorrow.

In the meantime, the three diplomats are endeavoring to get more information from Washington and Mexico City relative to the essentials of the peace plan already outlined.

General Huerta sent a long message to his representatives, making suggestions regarding individuals for the new provisional government. The mediators conferred with the Mexican delegates, who promptly communicated with Mexico City, but the subject of Constitutionalist admission to the conferences was not broached.

The issue is squarely before the mediators for decision. The Mexican delegates have indicated they will agree to abide by the will of the three diplomats. The latter would like to see Carranza represented at the conference, but take the view that the original conditions must be complied with before any invitation to him can be renewed. They believe if he does not enter they will be able, nevertheless, to approximate Constitutionalist opinion and keep their interests in mind in the establishment of a new government.

## COUNCIL ASKED TO BOW TO WILL OF THE PEOPLE

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subject are preventable, he declared, and it was this that modern health work tried to accomplish. Thinking people the world over, he said, are waking up to the fact that they have been derelict in their duty in respect to public health work, and splendid results are now being accomplished. He stated that he was doing the work solely out of a desire to aid his city, and that if he could accomplish anything toward decreasing the mortality rate in Wilmington he would be satisfied that he had not labored in vain.

W. P. M. Turner, Esq., reported that at the conference of citizens Saturday afternoon a committee of three was appointed to extend a personal invitation to the members of the City Council to be present at the meeting, and to give the meeting the benefit of their views on the health budget. As a member of the committee, Mr. Turner reported that the invitations had been extended to the Councilmen, and that they had been assured they would be given a courteous hearing, and would not be "made targets of," as one of them stated would be the case when the invitation was presented to him. Mr. Turner said he did not know if they were present or not, but if they were he felt sure that the meeting would be glad to hear from them.

The chairman stated that if the Councilmen were present the meeting would be glad to hear from them, but there was no response.

Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneur said that he felt sure that the meeting would be glad to hear from any one who believed that Council had acted wisely in cutting down the health budget. He would like to hear their views on the matter, in order to inform himself. There was no response to this.

**Roll Call of Council.**

On motion of Mr. L. T. Moore, seconded by half a dozen people all over the hall, and unanimously carried, the chairman had the roll of City Council. He called the name of Mayor P. G. Moore first, and Mr. Moore responded in a short talk, in which he said that he did not know why Council, or any member of Council, wished to cut down the budget. He declared that he stood unequivocally for the budget as prepared by the Board of Health, and approved by the Commissioners, and that he did not think a matter of a few thousand dollars was enough to jeopardize the health and lives of the men, women and children of the community.

Councilman C. C. Loughlin was called next, and in his response stated that he had been accused of playing to the grand stand in his attitude on the health budget, and other public questions. He declared that if he had the balls which had come over the plate to him had been fried ones.

His judgment on the health budget, he said, was based on his opinion of the capability of the men composing the Board of Health. Theirs was the responsibility, he said, and he had no desire to take this responsibility from them.

The chairman then called the names of Councilmen B. A. Merritt, D. N. Chadwick, Jr., T. W. Wood and W. F. Jones, none of them answering.

Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneur moved that a committee of three be appointed to telephone the three members of Council who had voted for the reduction in the health budget and ask them to come to the meeting, assuring them again that they would be given a courteous hearing. This motion met with hearty seconds, but Mr. C. C. Covington stated that he thought enough time had been wasted with the Councilmen in question. They had been invited to meet with the manhood of Wilmington, he said, and if they were afraid to do so, he thought the best thing to do would be to proceed without them. Mr. Gouverneur then withdrew his motion.

Mr. J. G. McCormick declared that he thought the meeting should demand that Council should pass the budget as approved by the Board of Health, and that if they refused to do it, then notice should be served upon them that the citizens would invoke their right to recall them. "They are our servants," declared Mr. McCormick, "whether they wish to recognize the fact or not, and if they refuse to carry out the will of the people, then we ought to put them out of office and put some one in who will."

Mr. McCormick said that their absence at the meeting, after being extended a personal invitation, constituted an unheard of situation, in that three members of Council use their office to do something that vitally affects the welfare of the city, and then refuse the people who put them into office an explanation of their conduct. "They have not condemned themselves before," said Mr. McCormick, "it seems to me that they have unreservedly done so now."

Dr. B. J. Willingham introduced a resolution calling upon the Legislature to provide machinery for the purpose of preventing such a situation from arising again, but later, on advice this would be unconstitutional, the resolution was withdrawn.

Others who made talks at the meeting, each one supporting the health administration, and the amount asked for by the Board of Health, were Messrs. W. H. Blair, J. A. McNorton, B. F. Keith, M. W. Jacobi, Herbert Clammy, Iredell Meares and Dr. Samuel R. Maxwell.

**Organize Christian Workers Society.**

The young people of Southside Baptist church last night organized a Young People's Christian Workers' Association for the purpose of doing local mission work and for studying mission problems in general. Meetings wills be held in the church every Monday night. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mr. J. W. Russ; vice president, Mr. J. D. Bender; secretary and treasurer, Miss Lillie May Brock; librarian, Miss Sophia Kohler.

**Suffered Attack on Street.**

Mr. Charles W. Glenn, of Birmingham, Ala., suffered an attack of something like appendicitis while walking along Front street in front of the Murchison bank last night about 10 o'clock, and had to be taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital. He was on his way to Wilson, N. C., to accept a position and missed his train here. He was waiting in the city until the next train. He was reported this morning as resting comfortably.

# MRS. ANDERSON TELLS OF WRECK OF EMPRESS

## Is Wife of Man in Charge of Collier Storstad.

### Says Her Husband Feared That His Vessel Was Going to Sink—Thought That Empress of Ireland Was Speeding.

Montreal, June 1.—Mrs. Anderson, wife of the captain of the Storstad, today told her story of the collision between the Storstad and the Empress of Ireland. The captain, called from his bed Friday night by the mate because it was foggy, asked her to come on deck. While she was dressing the collision took place.

"I ran up to the bridge where Capt. Anderson was," said Mrs. Anderson. "Everything was dark and quiet. There was no excitement among the crew. I stayed on the bridge and I asked Captain Anderson if we were going to sink."

"'I think so,' he replied.

"I said to myself, that I would die with my husband.

"Captain Anderson told me he was trying to keep the Storstad in the hole and that if the liner had not been speeding they would have stopped together for a time at least.

"Again I asked him if we were going down and he answered, 'I can't tell yet.' He said he thought the Empress was all right.

"I think it was five minutes later that I heard screams. At first it seems as if the cries were coming from shore. The captain gave orders to go in that direction and proceeded very slowly. Everywhere around me I could hear screams. My husband gave orders to send out all the life boats and that could not have been ten minutes after the vessels had collided."

**List of Dead Increased.**

Montreal, June 1.—The latest lists furnished by the Canadian Pacific Railway indicate that a total of 969 persons perished in the wreck of the Empress of Ireland. The saved number 417. The tabulation follows:

First cabin passengers carried 87, passengers saved 32; passengers lost 55.

Second and third class, (of whom 153 were second class) passengers carried 868; passengers saved 180; passengers lost, 688.

Crew: Carried 432; saved 206; lost 226.

The company today issued an additional list of second and third class passengers saved, in which the following persons are named: P. H. Archer, Mary Bausch; R. W. Crellin, Silverton, B. C.; Mrs. Hutri Green, Gregor; A. Jonetz, Jacob Lubuenski, Martin Schmenak, W. Turpin.

**Wandering Woman Found.**

Rimouski, June 1.—A woman apparently a Swede, was found wandering dazed and naked today near Rimouski. It is believed she is a survivor of the wreck of the Empress of Ireland, who made her way to land on a piece of wreckage and was driven insane by suffering.

**Identify Dead Bodies.**

Quebec, June 1.—The work of identifying the bodies of victims of the Empress of Ireland disaster, began immediately after the bodies were landed. The most important of the identifications made to date was that of the body of Sir Henry Seton-Karr, the big game hunter. Many harrowing scenes were witnessed in the temporary morgue as relatives or friends found persons for whom they were seeking.

# NAVAL STORES MEN FOUND NOT GUILTY

## At Savannah of Conspiracy to Monopolize Trade.

## VERDICT LAST NIGHT

### Case Which Has Been in Court For Past Six Years is Finally Finished When Jury Found Defendants "Not Guilty."

Savannah, Ga., June 1.—The four officers of the suspended American Naval Stores Company, charged with violation of the Federal anti-trust laws, were found not guilty in the United States District Court here tonight. The defendants, E. S. Nash, S. P. Shotter and J. F. C. Myers, of this city, and Carl Moeller, of Jacksonville, Fla., were accused of a conspiracy to monopolize the naval stores trade.

Arguments by counsel and instructions to the jury by Judge Grubb occupied today's session of the trial after which the case was given to the jury at 6:35 o'clock tonight. The verdict, finally acquitting the defendants after more than six years of legal action, was returned at 10:15 o'clock tonight.

The trial just concluded was the second in th ecase. In the previous trial the present four defendants and George N. Boardman, of New York, also an official of the company were conircted. Fines were levied and in addition Mr. Shotter and Mr. Myers were sentenced to three months imprisonment each.

An appeal was taken to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals where the verdict of the lower court was affirmed. Application was then made to the United States Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari. It was granted and on June 9th, 1913 the Supreme Court finally handed down a decision setting aside the verdict of guilty.

No recommendation was made as to a retrial of the defeendants, but United States District Attorney Ackerman had the case set for May 18th, this year and after a few minor delays the accused, with the exception of Mr. Boardman, were again paced on trial. The case against the latter was dismissed with the approval of Attorney General McReynolds. Mr. Boardman testified for the government at the present trial.

## NO VISIT UNTIL FALL.

### Senate Committee Will Visit Southport at That Time.

Senator Overman has notified the traffic committee of the Chamber of Commerce, of which Mr. J. Allan Taylor is chairman, that the Senate Committee on the proposed government coaling station on the South Atlantic coast will visit Wilmington and Southport next fall. The committee will on the same trip inspect Norfolk, Charleston, Brunswick, Jacksonville and other South Atlantic ports.

Wilmington has united with Southport in an effort to secure the coaling station for that place. Both the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce and the Southport Commercial Association have appointed committees to secure data. The latter body has issued an attractive booklet, giving the many advantages of Southport for the coaling station.

## MILK PRICES INCREASED.

### Dealers Say That Former Price of Ten Cents a Quart is Too Low.

On account of the increased cost of food stuffs and the high cost of labor, milk dealers in the city state that it is impossible for them to make any profit at ten cents a quart for milk, and it is now selling in Wilmington for 12 1-2, 13 and 15 cents. This was arrived at by no previous concerted action of the dealers, it is stated.

Only two dairies of the city have not increased their prices. One of these has been selling milk all the time for 12 1-2 cents when delivered. This is a wholesale concern and does not cater to the retail trade. The other dairy is still selling milk at 10 cents a quart.


**TODAY—TODAY.**

Your deposit made today with Wilmington's Oldest Bank will draw interest from June 1st. The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

(advertisement.)


**GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA, A. F. & A. M.**

Special communication this (Tuesday) evening, at 8:30 o'clock, Masonic Temple, this city, for the purpose of presenting a Past Grand Master's Jewel to Past Grand Master Charles H. Robinson, a member and Past Master Wilmington Lodge, No. 319.

All affiliated members of the Craft are cordially invited to attend.

By order of the Grand Master.

A. S. HOLDEN, Acting Grand Secretary.

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## Business Locals

**Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for Telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office, No. 51. Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.**

**BEAN AND CUCUMBER** baskets for sale at 9 cents each at factory, Atlantic Coast Veneering Co., Smith Creek, City. je2-1t*

**FOR SALE**—The most desirable S. E. corner of Front and Ann streets facing Front street 132 feet and Ann street 165 feet. Also a lot on the east side of Fifth street, between Castle and Queen streets, size 66x165. For particulars, apply C. P. B. Mahler, 22 S. Second. je2-1t

**APARTMENT** in the splendid Carolina Apartment house for rent. One of two rooms and bath; one of three rooms and bath. Rent includes water, janitor service, elevator, etc. Cafe in building. Apply to J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. je2-2t

**FOR RENT**—A new modern eight-room house, screened; garage, plenty of yard room; a pretty lawn; furnished with new and expensive furniture and piano. Desirably located. An unusual chance to rent a furnished house desirably located. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate, Sole Agents. je2-tf

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**FLIES** — Will not bother your cows and horses if you will use Conkey's Fly Knocker. See Jno. S. McEachern's Sons, 211 Market. 'Phone 92. je2-1t

**FOR SALE**—10 acres land Acorn Branch, 4 cleared, 9 acres land high state cultivation, seven cleared. Ideal spot. Two Carolina lots and two other pieces would sell. If interested, address "S. E. C.," care Star. je2-1t*

**FOR RENT**—One large, cool bed room; 411 Red Cross; all conveniences. je2-1t*

**FOR SALE** — Boat 9 ft. beam, 36 ft. long, cabin and awning; 12 horse Lathrop engine, all in perfect condition; $250.00. P. O. Box 221, Southport, N. C. je2-1t*

**KEYS LOST**—Lost, bunch keys, either in Post Office or up Chestnut street to Sixth. Reward. G. T. Flynn, 'Phone 84. je2-1t*

**WANTED**—Young women as nurses in wards of the Hospital. Must come well recommended. Good training school; three years' course, including nine months at Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, New York City. For particulars, apply to Superintendent, The Dixmont Hospital for the Insane, Dixmont, Pa. je2-eod9t

**FOR SALE**—At a bargain, four twelve-inch electric fans alternating current; 133 cycle; one one-quarter H. P. motor, alternating current, 133 cycle. Same as new; only used two months. Pastime Theatre, Wallace, N. C. je2-10t

**AUTO BARGAIN**—1911 Model Maxwell, detachable tonneau, well preserved; strictly first class running order; tires nearly new. Price $150.00. Address Box 181, city. je2-1t

**POINTER** dog, puppy, for sale. High bred and very pretty coat. Two months old. The right kind for quail. Call 308 North Ninth street, Wilmington. je2-1t*

**FOR RENT**—One or two front rooms, nicely furnished, with all conveniences. Apply 414 Chestnut street, or 'phone 1341-J. je2-1t*

**RUGS FOR SALE**—Hand woven rag rugs suitable for Summer use in town or at the beach. Can be seen at 402 South Third street. je2-1t

**TAKE WARNING**—When you buy milk, you want the best that is. Our milk is aerated packed and delivered to the consumer in crushed ice. This assures its reaching you in the most sanitary and perfect condition and at the reasonable cost of 12 1-2c per quart. Glenwood Dairy Farm, 'Phone 1760. je2-6t

**TELEPHONE** 836, if you desire to rent a new and modern bungalow on Wrightsville Turnpike, Carolina Place. my31-3t

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**DESIRABLE STORE** for rent; No. 20 Market street, formerly occupied by Miller. In first class order. Splendid retail or wholesale stand. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. my31-2t

**MODERN HOME** for rent; No. 307 South Fifth street; will rent at a reduced rate till Oct. 1st. In first class order. Apply to James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. my31-2t

**THE SAUNDERS COTTAGE**, on Wrightsville Beach, for rent till Aug. 1st. Will rent at a reasonable price to desirable parties. Has 8 rooms and is furnished. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. my31-2t

**THE RURAL BUILDING & LOAN** Association will open a new series next Saturday, June 6th. This progressive and conservative association will make desirable loans in the city and suburbs. It is the surest and safest way to save money to own your home. Full particulars by calling on the secretary. You can subscribe stock any day this week. Series limited to 1,000 shares. James Owen Reilly, Secretary and Treasurer. my31-6t

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**SCREENS**—Bring or 'phone us your order for screen doors and windows. We will make and install them for you. We also make typewriter desks, office desks and office tables. Wilmington Safe and Table Co., 'Phone 1471; 1013 South Front street. my31-6t*

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**FOR SALE**—At a bargain, a clean stock of groceries in good stand. Address quick "Sale," care Star. my31-3t*

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**WANTED**—By gentleman and wife, within short distance of post office, one or two pleasant rooms, bath convenient with excellent table board, from June 1st, with private family or select boarding house. Permanent, if suited. Terms and full particulars to Box 768 Wilmington, N. C. my17-tf

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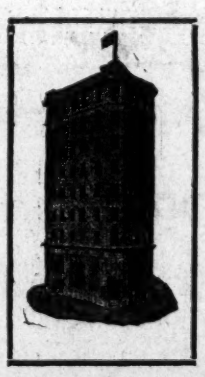

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from J. C. Hankins and wife, Carrie D. Hankins, to Co-Operative Building and Loan Association, registered in Book 56, page 592, in the payment of which mortgage default has been made, the undersigned mortgagee will, on the 8th day of June, 1914, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction for cash, the lands and premises described in said mortgage, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the Southern line of Nun street with the eastern line of Wilson street, runs thence eastwardly along said line of Nun street 66 feet, thence Southwardly and parallel with Eighth street 132 feet; thence Westwardly and parallel with Nun street 66 feet to the Eastern line of Wilson street, and thence Northwardly along the Eastern line of said street 132 feet to the corner the beginning, being part of the middle of Lots 1 and 2, in Block 106, according to the official plan of Wilmington, N. C.

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